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DEBS MAKES ADDRESS AT WASHINGTON

SPEAKS TO CROWD OF SEVERAL HUNDRED AT THE UNION STATION

Tells His Hearers That Love is the Greatest Force in the World and That it Will Redeem and Save Us—Will Continue Fight Against War and to Free Other Prisoners

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Freed by President Harding from Atlanta federal penitentiary where he was serving a ten year sentence for making speeches in violation of the war laws, Eugene V. Debs, Socialist leader, was reprimanded tonight by Union Station police here for making a speech without a permit before leaving for his home in Terre Haute, Ind.

Before boarding his train, Debs addressed a crowd of several hundred persons in the station, including admirers who had come to say good bye, expressing his gratitude for his reception in Washington and closing with a reiteration of his opposition to war and belief in the force of love in the redemption of the world.

No effort was made by uniformed police in the crowd to interfere with the address, but immediately upon its conclusion a plain clothesman rushed up to Debs and demanded if he had a permit to speak in the station and upon being informed in the negative, declared:

JUDGE DEW RULES JAIL SENTENCES HAVE NO BEARING

Kansas Case Not Involved in Present Issue, He Holds

(By The Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 27.—The circumstances leading up to the six months jail sentence which Alexander Howat and August Dorcy are now serving in the Cherokee county, Kansas, jail, have no bearing on the suit for an injunction against John L. Lewis, international president of the United Mine Workers of America, now being heard in the circuit court here, it was declared today.

The fact that Howat and Dorcy are in jail will not be allowed to prejudice their case here, Judge Samuel A. Dew, of the circuit court, said today.

Debs' speech was his first platform utterance since leaving prison.

"I wish," he said, "to do myself the justice to return my grateful thanks for the kindness shown me here. I also wish to express by gratitude to the representatives of the press—the representatives of the fourth estate—whose courtesy, fairness and kindness has been beyond expression."

"Many disagree with me in an economic and social way," he added, "but we are all human and one touch of nature makes the whole world kin."

Debs said that he left Washington "without a trace of bitterness or hatred," adding that "many hate me," but that they were entitled to their feelings and the expression of them.

"I believe in free speech," he said, "in the expression of these differing opinions we find our way to higher civilization."

He paid tributes to figures in history who had, he declared had the courage of their convictions altho forced to sacrifice much for them and referred to Washington, Jefferson and Thomas Paine, "who first wrote the words United States," as those who "at first misanderstood, won an immortality of glory."

"With every drop of blood in my veins," he concluded, "I am opposed to war. Human life is too sacred a thing to be spent in bloodshed. Love is the greatest force in this world, love will redeem us, love will save us and write our names in the depth of civilization."

Debs and his party are scheduled to reach Indianapolis at 10:30 p. m., tomorrow and proceed from there to Terre Haute, planning to (Continued on Page Two)

A few minutes will be heard tomorrow morning and tomorrow afternoon attorneys for both sides expect to present their arguments. It is anticipated that Judge Dew will then hand down his decision as to whether a temporary injunction granted Dec. 3, 1921, restraining John L. Lewis, and other international officers of the United Mine Workers of America from setting up or continuing a provisional government in district fourteen and restraining operators from abandonment of the checkoff system of union dues shall be made permanent.

MEREDOSIA LOSES TO VERSAILLES FIVE

Meradosia, Dec. 27.—The local team lost to Versailles here Friday evening by a score of 25 to 20. The game was a fast one from start to finish, the score being tied and untied several times. Hyde did most of the caging.

Meradosia.

THE WEATHER

Illinois: Fair in south, somewhat unsettled in north portion Wednesday. Rising temperature, Thursday probably fair.

Temperatures.

| | Current | Maximum | Minimum |
|------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Recorded Tuesday were: | | | |
| Boston | 32 | 36 | 26 |
| Buffalo | 24 | 28 | 28 |
| New York | 36 | 42 | 26 |
| Jacksonville | 56 | 64 | 54 |
| New Orleans | 60 | 62 | 62 |
| Chicago | 26 | 28 | 15 |
| Detroit | 22 | 26 | 24 |
| Omaha | 28 | 30 | 16 |
| Minneapolis | 20 | 26 | 12 |
| Helena | 28 | 32 | 12 |
| San Francisco | 56 | 62 | 50 |
| Winnipeg | 28 | 30 | 8 |
| Chennai | 36 | 40 | 26 |

DELEGATES AT VARIANCE ON SUBMARINES

May Leave Entire Question to Later Conference

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The submarine controversy has revealed so wide a difference of opinion among the powers that the arms delegates are seriously discussing a plan to leave the entire question of auxiliary warship tonnage to a later international conference.

So far consideration of project has been entirely informal with conference leaders outwardly reflecting a hope that the present negotiations may yet bring the submarine problem to a solution. In many quarters, however, there are growing signs of discouragement over the prospect and an accompanying tendency to examine carefully the possibilities of the postponement plan. In highest American official circles it was said today that a concrete proposal for a future conference might be laid before the arms delegates within a few days.

President Harding was said to feel that such a conference would be a logical development of his policy of international consultation and it was indicated that he had communicated his desires to the American delegation.

Tonight the submarine tangle apparently was as far as ever from a settlement despite conferences between the American delegates and the plenipotentiaries of Japan and France, the two powers who are holding out against the American compromise proposal.

The naval committee which has not met since Saturday will resume its sessions tomorrow but neither the French nor Japanese expect to be in a position to modify their objections to the American plan.

Take Serious Aspect.

The negotiations over Shantung also took on a more serious aspect during the day when the Japanese, after the receipt of fresh instructions from Tokio let it be known that they were not prepared to make further concessions in their exchange with the Chinese over return of the Tsing-Tao-Tsinau Fu railroad.

The Chinese already have declared they can go no further toward a compromise but in some conference circles there still is hope that the two groups may be brought together.

Meanwhile the new four power Pacific treaty already signed by the United States, Great Britain, France and Japan, got back into conference discussions thru a suggestion from Japanese quarters that the four powers agree not to apply the terms of the pact to the principal islands of the Japanese empire.

In view of differences of view developing in the United States and Japan as to the meaning of the treaty, the Japanese were said to be considering the suggestion of such an interpretative agreement.

An interpretation not applying the treaty to the major Japanese Islands will be a reversal of the understanding said to have existed among the delegations when the treaty was signed. It would be adverse also to the interpretation announced by the American delegation but in harmony with that voiced by President Harding. Should the Tokio government decide formally to suggest such an agreement the move might precipitate an intricate situation in the conference.

LAWS WILL NOT PREVENT CRIME

(By The Associated Press)

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The moral conscience of America must be aroused with an awakening that will be individually powerful and comprehensively far reaching, he said.

"There must come to the people of America everywhere a deep controlling conviction of individual obligation to do the right and abstain from the wrong."

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WAR WITH SPAIN WAS ADVISED BY TEDDY ROOSEVELT

Wanted McKinley to Issue Proclamation in March

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Former President Theodore Roosevelt advised declaration of war on Spain five weeks before President McKinley issued the proclamation it was revealed today in one of Roosevelt's letters, made public by William Boyce Thompson, president of the Roosevelt Memorial association.

Writing to Captain Robley D. Evans on March 16, 1898, Roosevelt then secretary of the navy characterized the sailing of the Spanish Flotilla for Cuba as an obvious preparation for war against the United States. His letter in part follows:

"No one shall see your letter, which I have this minute received, but I shall go in and speak to the secretary as strongly as I know how. I have for some days been advising exactly as you advise in your letter not only as to the admiral but as to the Spanish torpedo catchers and as to the need of picket boats of our fleet. I told the president yesterday that we ought to treat the sailing of these Spanish torpedo catchers exactly as a European power would the mobilizing of a hostile army on its frontiers."

"As to yourself I have spoken to the secretary again and again about you, and I can't help believing that you will be given the command not only of a ship, but of a squadron as soon as hostilities arise."

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COOPERATION FOR ENFORCEMENT OF LAW IS WANTED

Sends Letters to Officials of Various States

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Cooperation of state law enforcement officials with those of the federal government was asked by Attorney General Daugherty in letters sent late today to the attorney generals of the various states. Such co-operation it was maintained, would result in better and more uniform enforcement of all statutes. Enforcement of the prohibition and the food and fuel supply laws were particularly referred to. Mr. Daugherty explained announcing the despatch of the letters. There was no disposition on the part of the federal government to evade responsibility, he added, but there was a feeling that the state should make every effort to enforce their laws which might be a duplication of federal statutes.

The letters were also accepted in some quarters as a step in connection with the move recently announced of investigating retail prices.

Mr. Daugherty suggested to the attorney generals that they call a conference of county prosecutors of their respective states and if possible bring about a coherent working arrangement, between them and the federal officials charged with the same enforcement functions.

Such a meeting, he added, ought to be held early in the new year, that the basis of understanding could be employed to effect economies in expenditures as well as serve the real purpose of accomplishing more thoro law enforcement.

The co-ordination sought by Mr. Daugherty said ought to be of real help to municipal authorities, chambers of commerce and others interested in reaching violations for extortion in the prices now maintained.

Referring further to the co-operation which he asked, Mr. Daugherty said:

"The two principal offenses which I now have in mind are those against the liquor and the food and fuel supply laws. There is no disposition on the part of the federal government as represented by the department of justice to evade any responsibility in respect to its duties, but the states, I believe should first enforce their laws in regard to the violations and the federal government promptly co-operating with the states enforce the laws which should be enforced by it. There are substantial duplication in many of these laws."

and a better understanding between state and federal authorities will prove most beneficial to both in the enforcement of prohibition and food and fuel laws pertaining to prices."

FAIL TO IDENTIFY BODY OF DEAD MAN

(By The Associated Press)

PALMYRA, Wis., Dec. 27.—Failure today of the coroner's jury to establish the identity of the man whose body was found on Dec. 15 in Miracle Creek near here resulted in the inquest being adjourned for thirty days while Jefferson county officials are running down every angle that promises a clue to solution of the murder mystery. The body will be buried in a shallow grave to make exhumation easy in case it is desired, it was announced today.

Two efforts at identification proved futile today.

CONFESSES TO MURDER OF CLERK

(By The Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Charles S. Horner, a twenty year old youth confessed tonight, according to the police, that he and a companion whose name is being withheld, killed Samuel R. Storer, a drug clerk on Dec. 1, in order to obtain a large sum of money they thought was concealed in his room. They got three dollars, a ring and two suit cases filled with clothing, Horner told the police. Storer was found dead in his room with a towel twisted about his neck and his hands and feet bound.

INJUNCTION AGAINST BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 27.—A temporary injunction against the Building Trades Council here following the application of the Shea and Donnelly company of Bedford, Ind., stone contractors to prevent a boycott on its production was signed by Federal Judge Farris here today.

BANDITS HOLD UP EXPRESS MESSENGER

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 27.—Two bandits late tonight boarded the Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 209 bound from Sedalia, Mo., to Kansas City, held up L. H. Holland, the express messenger, and escaped after looting the safe in the express car. Holland was shot during the holdup, but not severely wounded.

WATCHMAN IS KILLED WITH HATCHET

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Clues and motives were lacking tonight in a murder for the slayer of Abraham Lubarski, 64, watchman, killed with a hatchet in a clothing factory last night. The bloody hatchet was found near the body.

DINNER IN HONOR OF WILSON'S BIRTHDAY

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 27.—Citizens of St. Joseph will be hosts tomorrow night at a dinner in honor of the birthday of former President Wilson at which it is expected Democratic leaders from many parts of the state will be present.

HARRISBURG MAN DROWNED

Harrisburg, Ill., Dec. 27.—Vincenzo Lucas, 50 years old, and the father of six children, was drowned today while driving his horse over flooded roads near here. The animal went into a deep ditch and in trying to swim out became entangled in a submerged wire fence.

GIRL CHANGES HER MIND; BRIDEGROOM LOCKED IN JAIL

Gives Checks That Are Not Labelled No Good

(By The Associated Press)

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 27.—Dewey Russell, 22, spent Christmas day in the county jail at Alliance, Nebraska, instead of in the bridegrooms seat at a wedding feast and all because he declares, a petty 16 year old Alliance high school girl changed her mind at the last minute.

Left a share of a \$10,000 estate by an uncle in Tulsa, Oklahoma, recently, with the provision that he marry by Christmas, 1921, Dewey started advertising with the result that he met Miss Nellie Price of Alliance and sent her a ring.

The girl changed her mind two days before Christmas after Dewey had arrived for the wedding and Dewey, despondent cashed two checks declared to be no good, altho he claims to have money in the bank at Green River, Wyo., where he has been employed as a dispatcher for the Union Pacific.

Russell, who claims to be a graduate at a business college in Chillicothe, Mo., says his chief worry now is that another girl in Green River will hear about his plight and also spurn him. He said he might fight the provision in his uncle's will that he marry by Christmas, 1921.

CHARGES ARE MADE BY SENATOR LAFOLLETTE ON SECRET MEETING

Alleges That Railroad, Coal, Steel and Lumber Interests Tried to Get the Farm Bureau Leaders to Agree to Not Publish Legislation on the Transportation Act

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Charges were made by Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin in a formal statement issued today that representatives of the railroads and of the coal, steel and lumber interests at a "secret meeting" held in Washington, Dec. 9th, attempted to obtain from farm organization leaders and did obtain from some such leaders, adherence to an agreement not to publish legislation to repeal the commonly called guaranty section of the transportation act and to restore state control of state rates.

In substantiation of his charges Mr. LaFollette made public what he described as "a brief report of the action of the conference," held here December 9, which he branded as "a conspiracy to betray not only the farmer but the consuming and the producing millions of the nation."

The report was made public by the senator without an explanation of its source as follows:

"On Dec. 9, a secret meeting was held in Washington at which high officials of the railroads, the coal and steel and lumber interests attempted to enlist the farmers in an agreement whereby all agitation by the farm interest for repeal of Section 15-A and for the restoration of state control over intra-state rates should cease. The great special interests represented at this conference were successful in obtaining the consent of certain of the farm representatives to such an agreement."

This conference was participated in by the special committee representing railway executives of which Mr. Atterbury of the Pennsylvania road, was chairman. It was held at the Racquet club in Washington, on December 9th, 1921. There had been a previous conference in New York on Sept. 21, of which J. R. Howard was made chairman. Among those present at the Racquet club meeting were Mr. W. W. Atterbury, of the Pennsylvania railroad, Howard Elliott of the Northern Pacific, R. S. Rinkert, who is assistant to the chairman of the Association of Railway Executives, New York.

"C. E. Bement of Lansing, Michigan, representing the Nove Engine company, lumber interests were represented by Charles Hill of the Southern Pine and Sales Corporation of New York and others."

"Construction companies were represented by R. C. Marshall, Munsey Building, Washington, D. C., and E. T. Trigg of Philadelphia."

"The National Industrial Traffic League was represented by W. H. Chandler of Boston, Mass., and J. H. Beck, Chicago."

"The National Association of Manufacturers were represented by A. J. Emery of Washington, D. C."

"The agricultural interests were represented by J. R. Howard, Gray Silver, H. C. McKenzie of New York, Ralph Snider of Kansas and O. E. Bradfute of Chicago. They were all of the American Farm Bureau Federation the last three named being members of the executive committee."

"The agricultural interests were also represented by W. I. Drummond, president of the International Farm Congress and by T. Atkinson of the National Grange."

Railroads Wanted Help.

"Mr. Atterbury stated that the railroads desired the help of the interests represented in securing further wage reductions and in opposing the amendments pending in congress proposing repeal of section 15-A after a considerable discussion the agricultural representatives not being disposed to oppose the amendments absolutely, an agreement was taken for lunch with the understanding that representatives of the carriers and of the agricultural interests would talk the matter over. After lunch Mr. Howat reported that the agricultural representatives were prepared to agree that section 15-A should not be amended except for the removal of the proviso in paragraph three relating to the percentage of return for two years following March 1, 1920, which expires by statutory limitation in March next."

"It was left with a committee composed of Mr. Emery, Mr. Atkinson and Mr. Silver to rewrite the Capper bill one of the measures proposing repeal of Section 15-A."

Senator LaFollette declared that in brief the alleged proposal of the railroads was that the farm (Continued on Page 3)

BOTH EXPORTS AND IMPORTS SHOW BIG DECREASE IN 1921

Department of Commerce Made Figures Public Tuesday

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—American business houses exported \$4,189,343,000 in merchandise in the first eleven months of the year, according to figures made public today by the department of commerce which also gave imports for the period as valued at \$2,271,797,000.

In the same eleven months in 1920 exports totaled \$7,507,729,000 and imports \$5,012,424,000. The declining trade was shown further in statistics for November when exports aggregated \$294,437,000 as compared with \$243,597,000 for October and \$676,528,000 for November of last year. The imports for November aggregated \$211,027,000 while for October they were \$204,437,000 and for November, 1920, were \$221,209,000.

Europe as in 1920 drew the bulk of American foreign shipments, the figures showing that for November merchandise valued at \$153,349,000 went there, making the total for the eleven months \$2,209,358,000. Neighboring North American countries received \$71,605,000 in November shipments and \$1,097,446,000 for the eleven months.

Exports to South American countries for the eleven months aggregated \$257,120,000 or about forty per cent of the value of commodities sent them in the corresponding period last year.

To Asia the figures show shipped merchandise of an aggregate value of \$139,475,000 in the eleven months but for the same period in 1920, the shipments valued at \$716,737,000. In eleven months this year, Americans shipped \$147,104,000 and \$68,837,000 to Oceania and Africa, respectively.

For the eleven months of last year the exports amounted to \$239,923,000 for Oceania and \$145,069,000 for Africa.

Imports from Europe for the first eleven months of the year were \$692,263,000 against \$1,160,419,000 for the corresponding period of 1920 while from Canada, Mexico and Central American countries the imports totaled in eleven months \$702,980,000 as compared with \$1,573,410,000 in the eleven months of the preceding year. From South America the business houses in the eleven months of this year imported \$268,507,000 while in the first eleven months last year the imports were \$725,114,000.

The imports from Asia totaled \$494,501,000 and \$1,222,874,000 for the first eleven months of this year and last year respectively.

From Africa there came imports of \$33,553,000 in the first eleven months of this year as compared with \$143,827,000 in the same period of 1920.

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As a matter of economy a great many government publications have been suspended. Possibly some few of them will be missed, but that statement does not apply to the greater number.

In one of the golf clubs in Chicago they are playing the game with red balls on snow covered grounds. One wonders whether this is the result of genuine interest in the game or the desire for a certain amount of notoriety.

F. H. Collier of the St. Louis Globe pays a compliment to the basic good taste and morality of the people when in talking about fiction he says: "Harold Bell Wright's heroes and heroines are faultless and he sells 7,000,000 copies. Our country is that the secret of its popularity is the moral tone of his books. The people are that way."

The shoppers who visited the business district in the evening hours last week were impressed with how small was the amount of business going on. Holiday trade as a rule was satisfactory but very little of it was done in the evening hours. People have become so accustomed to having the greater number of stores open only in the day time that they have formed the habit of the day-time shopping.

Just about the best news yet is the prospect for a conference on the question of world debts and an international exchange. It is not too much to hope that such a conference will be held and a plan worked out whereby the ob-

ligations of foreign nations to the United States may be figured out into long time loans at reasonable interest rates.

The report is good news because it seems to be the popular belief that if these questions of international debts and exchange could only be straightened out that general business prosperity would be a fact.

Mr. Debs is said to have a delightful personality and to be a most charming conversationalist. He may be, but one of the first statements he made after release from prison does not indicate a large amount of appreciation, tact or diplomacy. Mr. Debs expresses the greatest sympathy for his 2,000 or 3,000 fellow prisoners and says that he would that the doors were open and they all were released to gain dwell among their fellows—and most of them again engage in the ways of crime.

"A delightful personality" is a fine thing but it doesn't take the place of a well balanced mind.

Over in Decatur they are having a great deal of discussion about the street car franchise and the value of a new one to the traction company. The city officials and those of the company thus far have not been of the same mind.

Certainly the developments of recent years must have impressed the city officials that a street railway franchise doesn't have the value that once obtained. The automobile is only one factor in the loss of street car traffic.

Then another thing about franchises that people have commonly overlooked is that anything paid for a franchise must eventually be charged up to them in the cost of the service given.

The change will be made the latter part of this week as the new rooms are to be occupied by the first of the year. The arrangement of the rooms will make it possible to carry on more activities in a more efficient manner.

Tom Fox was down from Sinclair Tuesday on business matters.

TAX EXTENSION WORK NOW IN FULL SWING

Long Awaited Data Concerning Railroads and Telegraph Property Is Received by County Clerk Riggs—Jacksonville Tax Rate Will Be \$7.05—Figures Given For All Towns in the County

After several weeks of unavoidable delay, County Clerk G. L. Riggs was able to announce yesterday that the tax rate for Jacksonville this year will be \$7.05 per \$100 of assessed valuation. The known rates total \$6.93 and it is practically certain that the county bond rate will be 93 and the Jacksonville registered bond rate .09. These rates are to be received from the auditor's office and will no doubt be the same as in effect last year.

The total tax rate for Jacksonville last year was \$6.40 so this year's tax means an increase of 55 cents in the total. Last year the rates totaled \$6.40 but Mr. Riggs was able to scaling process to reduce the tax to \$6.40. This will not be possible this year because the legislature changed the June law, which provided the authority for the scaling down process.

As previously indicated, the work of tax extension has been unusually delayed this year because the county clerk has had the data necessary from the state tax commission. The state tax rate was received a number of days ago but it was not until Saturday night that the valuations as to railroads, telegraph and telephone properties were received. As this information has been awaited so long, Mr. Riggs arranged with his deputies and some special assistants for work on Monday in figuring out the rate of districts and road districts, wherein railroad or telegraph companies own property. The men worked all thru the day and until midnight Monday. The result was that work was accomplished which has in the past consumed numerous days of work.

It was a legal holiday and so the workers were not interrupted in any way. This rate distribution work was pushed in this vigorous way because there has already been a great deal of delay and Mr. Riggs is anxious to proceed just as quickly as possible with the further work of tax extension so that the books may be delivered to the collector.

The total assessed value of lands, lots and personal property in Morgan county this year is some what lower than for 1920, so that the total of taxes will probably not be larger than collected heretofore. The county total for this year is \$27,465,705 and for last year the figures were \$28,224,674. The several separate tax rates for the city of Jacksonville are as follows:

Jacksonville Rates
Municipal.....\$1.33
Park and library......36
Garbage......16
City funding bond.....10
Interest funding bond.....10
C. P. Plant bond......04
Interest C. P. Plant bond......03
Combined C. P. and F. bond......02
Filtration bond......02
Interest on Filtration plant......03
Oil tax......20
Road district......22
School district......275
Total ascertained.....6.93
Expected county bond rate......03
Expected city registered bond rate......09
Total.....12

The above figures will make the total Jacksonville rate \$7.05. In road district number one the rate will be 87 cents; in road district number three, 71 cents; in road district number five, 76 cents; in road district number eight, 72 cents and in road district number eleven, 69 cents. In all other road districts the rate will be 66 cents, save in district number seven, which includes Jacksonville, wherein the rate will be twenty-two cents.

Rates have also been figured for all of the school districts save that which include some territory in adjoining counties. These cannot be fixed until some additional information is available. The school district rates with the exceptions noted, are as follows:

School District Rate
Number two.....\$1.45
Number three.....1.05
Number four.....1.40
Number five......55
Number seven.....1.00
Number eight.....1.45
Number ten......75
Number eleven......75
Number thirteen......55
Number fourteen......40
Number fifteen.....1.15
Number seventeen......32
Number eighteen......25
Number nineteen......35
Number twenty......90
Number twenty-one.....1.00
Number twenty-two......85
Number twenty-three......70
Number twenty-four......95
Number twenty-five......55
Number twenty-six......30
Number twenty-seven......60
Number twenty-eight......65
Number twenty-nine......42
Number thirty......28
Number thirty-one.....1.00
Number thirty-two......45
Number thirty-three......90
Number thirty-four......32
Number thirty-five......45
Number thirty-six......50
Number thirty-seven......50
Number thirty-eight......60
Number thirty-nine......55
Number forty......35
Number forty-one......70
Number forty-two......70
Number forty-three......45
Number forty-four.....1.10
Number forty-five......95
Number forty-six.....1.05
Number forty-seven.....2.50
Number forty-eight......95

Number forty-nine.....80
Number fifty.....53
Number fifty-one.....67
Number fifty-two.....75
Number fifty-three.....75
Number fifty-four.....90
Number fifty-five.....90
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Chamber of Commerce, will return today from Mattoon, Ill., where he has been enjoying Christmas vacation with relatives. Wallace Hembrough of south of town had occasion to come to the city yesterday.

Cline Smith of the west part of the county swelled the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Miss Katherine Parker of this city is visiting with friends and relatives in Louisiana, Mo., this week.

Miss Parker expects to return this coming Sunday.

E. O. Towne of the southeast part of the county made a trip to Jacksonville yesterday.

Will McCurley and wife of Woodson vicinity were among the city shoppers yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Scott have returned from a holiday visit with relatives in St. Louis.

Carl and Jim Martin of north-west of town were among the city arrivals yesterday.

S. O. Cromwell of east of the city was a business caller here yesterday.

Miss Anne Fowler, secretary of the Social Service league, will return sometime today from Chicago, where she has been spending the holidays visiting with friends.

Ben Cully of Joy Prairie vicinity paid the city a visit yesterday.

Lester Hart and son of Sinclair paid the city a visit yesterday.

F. H. Montgomery of Springfield was a caller in the city yesterday.

Rule York of Rural Route 7 was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Ernest and Charles Ransdell were among the city arrivals yesterday from Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Osborne leave today for Mathiston, Miss., where they will visit their daughter, Miss Edna Osborne. Miss Osborne is a teacher in the Bennett Academy.

Harold Cunningham, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Cunningham of Murrayville, left Tuesday for an eight weeks' course in the Rahe Auto school in Chicago.

Harold McDevitt is spending the holidays with his parents on East Greenwood avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harvey are spending the holidays with their daughters, Miss Ruth Jones and Miss Mildred Harvey in Detroit, Mich.

Wilson Moonan of Franklin paid a visit to Jacksonville Tuesday.

Carl Martin of Ebenezer district, was in the city Tuesday.

Louis L. Horen arrived last night from the week-end visit with his parents in St. Louis.

Lee McGinnis was up from Arenzville Tuesday on a business trip.

Fred Faugust spent Monday with friends in Springfield.

George Lewis of Prentice was among the visitors from the east part of the county, yesterday.

Mrs. Inez H. Anderson of Sikeston, Mo., will arrive today to spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Huckleby on West State street.

Miss Tony Goddard of Washington, Ill., is spending the holidays with Miss May Lynette Brown on Woodland Place.

Thomas Hollingsworth of Fairbury, Ill., was a guest of Victor Barnes over the holidays.

Charles Curtis, John Boyd, Rollin Hart, George and Richard

Robinson were in Jacksonville on Tuesday, on a business tour.

Mr. Lewenstein of White Hall was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

Dr. Yeck came up from Meredosia Tuesday on business matters.

Dr. Evans of Bluffs, paid Jacksonville a visit Tuesday.

George Shelf from New Berlin was a Jacksonville visitor Tuesday.

Lee Sturdy of Woodson was up to the city Tuesday.

Clifford Davis of Orleans paid Jacksonville a visit Tuesday.

Clyde Cox of Orleans paid the city a visit yesterday.

Edgar Masters of Murrayville was a business visitor to Jacksonville Tuesday.

Edward Wilde of Buckhorn came to Jacksonville Tuesday to look after business matters.

Mrs. James obbins of Orleans was shopping in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Luther Crawford of Pisgah was in Jacksonville Tuesday on business matters.

John Strawn was a visitor from Alexander yesterday.

William Erickson of New Berlin was in Jacksonville yesterday.

William McCurley was up from Woodson Tuesday to attend to business.

Claude Keenan came down from Alexander Tuesday on a business trip.

Donald Megginson of Woodson was a visitor to the city yesterday.

C. P. Henderson of Litterberry was a business visitor to Jacksonville Tuesday.

Mrs. Herman Cohen has returned from St. Louis where she spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horen.

Miss Dena Harmon of Arenzville was in the city Tuesday on a shopping trip.

NEWS OF INTEREST FROM WINCHESTER

Sunday Schools Give Christmas Entertainments—Holiday Visitors Are Numerous—Other Winchester Items.

Winchester, Dec. 27.—The members of the Christian church Sunday school gave a Christmas entertainment Monday afternoon, it being impossible to have the program at night, because no lights were available. The church was well filled and a very interesting program was carried out, including recitations, drills, songs and music by the Sunday school orchestra. Later Santa Claus appeared with gifts for all the children. There was a huge Christmas tree and a treat for the boys and girls.

Alonzo Ellis and family of White Hall enjoyed Christmas at the home of Grant Mader and family.

Frank Redshaw of Jacksonville is here for a holiday visit with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George Hogan.

Leo Boylan of Beardstown arrived Sunday morning for a short visit, returning Monday.

Misses Florence, Barbara and Winifred Owings left Monday morning for a short visit in St. Louis.

Jesse Gibbs returned to Canton Monday after a visit with his mother.

Elmer Mason returned to Canton Monday after a visit with relatives in Winchester.

Miss Mary Murphy and Henry Murphy of Chicago enjoyed their Christmas holidays with their parents here.

Wayne Fletcher of Washington University is enjoying the holidays at his home here.

Chester Neat of Davenport is here to spend the holidays with his wife and son and other relatives.

Miss Floy Nelson of Chicago is enjoying the holidays with her parents here.

Mrs. Arch Albers and little daughter of St. Louis are visiting the former's parents here.

Miss Irene Kuechler, who is attending the Business college at Quincy, is here for a visit with home folks.

Misses Susie, Eliza and Clara Hoskins returned Monday to their home in Canton after a visit with their brother and family.

The Baptist Sunday school had a Christmas party Monday evening in the Sunday school rooms. There was an informal program by the younger pupils and later all were invited to the basement where they found a large Christmas tree and a treat for all. Ice cream cones and candy were served.

Elbert Carlton had an unpleasant experience Saturday night while on his way down town when someone from behind struck him a blow on the head which rendered him unconscious for some time. The young man was taken to his home and later recovered consciousness. It is thought that his assailant's motive was robbery and it is possible that the culprit may be apprehended and given the proper punishment.

NEW YEAR HOLIDAY RATES ON C. & A.

The Chicago & Alton railroad announce New Year Holiday excursion fares will be authorized as follows: Fare and one half for the round trip, minimum excursion fare, \$2.50. Half fares to be made for children, minimum excursion fare for children, \$1.25. This rate applies between all stations on the Chicago & Alton railroads in the state of Illinois and from all stations on the Chicago & Alton railroad in Illinois to St. Louis, Mo., or vice versa. Dates of sale, Dec. 29, 30 and 31, 1921; final return limit, Jan. 4, 1922.

PROBATE COURT

In the estate of Henry Rolf, the final report was filed and distribution ordered.

PARTY WAS GIVEN AT MANCHESTER HOME

Mrs. Fulton Cuddy Entertains in Honor of Nephews From Milwaukee, Wis.—Other Manchester News of Interest.

Manchester, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Fulton Cuddy gave a party in honor of her two nephews, Virgil and Everett Wyman of Milwaukee, Wis. Party games, rook and other games were played. Music was furnished by a Victrola. Misses Hazel and Faye Greenwalt gave several piano selections and Everett Wyman gave a few whistling stunts. All present enjoyed the good time and later had a treat of real oyster stew.

Those present were: Virgil and Everett Wyman, Esther and Verna Blakeman, Chris Walker, Norma Thady, Orville Kelly, Mildred Greenwalt, Harry Gidney, Mary Cummings, John Thady, Faye Greenwalt, Eugene Rochester, Mae, Hazel and Mabel Greenwalt, Jesse Blakeman, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sutton and son, Earl. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rochester spent Tuesday in Alton.

Among those who went to Jacksonville Tuesday were: Misses Hazel, Mae and Faye Greenwalt, John Thady and Eugene Rochester.

Mrs. R. C. Curtis is recovering from her recent illness in a gratifying manner.

Bodie Greenwalt spent Friday in Springfield.

J. W. Collins and wife of Mitchell, South Dakota, visited relatives here last week, and are now at the home of Mr. Collins' mother in White Hall. Their daughter, Miss Florence of Rock Island is also a guest of relatives here.

Guy Brown and wife of Jacksonville are spending the week at their home here.

Mrs. Anna McCarty is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Cade in Murrayville.

Eugene A. Rochester of Union is spending the vacation with home folks.

Russell Duncan who is principal of the High school at New Windsor is enjoying the vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weir Duncan.

Walter Scott and family moved last week to the farm he recently purchased from Sam Bailley, near Winchester. Mr. Scott and his family are valued citizens and we regret very much to lose them.

Stanley Funk, who is attending school at Champaign is home for the holidays.

Members of J. R. Blevins family were entertained at dinner Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Sykes in White Hall. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Blevins; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Chapman, son, Russell, and daughter, Anna Frances; Mr. and Mrs. George Blevins and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leitze.

DEBS MAKES ADDRESS AT WASHINGTON

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reach the Socialist leader's home at about 7:30 tomorrow night in time for a demonstration of welcome which is said to have been arranged for him.

With him on the train were his brother, Theodore; David Karsner, his biographer, and Miss Cecelia Trotter and Miss Bertha Hale White, both of the Debs Freedom League.

Debs spent the day here seeing callers, being interviewed and rested. Among his visitors were Peter J. MacSweeney, brother of the late Lord Mayor of Cork, Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor; Philip La Follette, son of the senior senator from Wisconsin; Santiago Iglesias, of the Porto Rican senate and Canute S. Vargas, secretary of the Pan-American Federation of Labor.

Definite plans for the future, Debs declared, must await his return home and his readjustment to changed conditions since his imprisonment which he said, might necessitate a change of method, although he was "unwavering" in his principles and ideals.

He would work, he added, for the freedom of other prisoners and the abolition of war. Friends declared that an invitation from the Soviet government to visit Russia awaited Debs and that he probably would accept and he himself indicated an intention to go abroad by announcing his intention to seek a vow from every man, woman and child in this country, or a country which he might visit to refuse to take up arms in warfare.

CHARGES ARE MADE BY SENATOR LAFOLLETTE ON SECRET MEETING

(Continued from Page 1.)

ers abandon their fight for lower rates in return for repeal of one clause of section 15-A which he added, would expire automatically next March 1.

"If the farmers of the country abide by the agreement entered into by a few of their representatives at Washington, Dec. 9," the senator further asserted, "the railroad interests will defeat the united demand for farmers in every section of the country for relief from the present extortionate railroad rates."

"I take this occasion to admonish the farmers to beware of that leadership in any of the great farm organizations represented in Washington that would shackle them in combination with railroad executives and with the great combinations and trusts of the country, leaving it in the hands of that group to speak the voice of the farmer in the framing of legislation dealing with transportation."

DOONAN SAYS HE LIVED IN DREAD

Feared Something Serious Would Happen to Him, He Was so Badly Run Down.

"I have taken four bottles of Tanlac and have actually gained fifteen pounds," said William Doonan, 3020 Broad St., Chicago. Mr. Doonan has been connected with the city as paying inspector for ten years and is widely known.

"Tanlac has built me up until I feel as fit as I did thirty years ago and I am telling every body the credit belongs to Tanlac. Before I began taking it I was so nervous and played out that I felt discouraged. My head was so achy and dizzy at times that I had to sit right down and I was always in a dead that something serious might happen to me. Even the lightest meal would upset my stomach and the gas from my undigested food made my heart beat so hard and fast and get me so short of breath it frightened me."

"My appetite was so poor I nearly quit eating. I had pains in my back that cut like a knife, and I simply dreaded to go to bed at night for I could hardly sleep at all and I always got up mornings feeling unfit for anything. Well, the way Tanlac has fixed me up is almost unbelievable. I am a well man now and I mean to say that I eat anything, sleep like a log, and never have an ache or a pain. Tanlac is certainly in a class by itself."

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THE LABORATORY OF SURGICAL TECHNIQUE, where experimental work on anesthetized animals may be done and better methods perfected before operating on human.

THE AUTOPSY work is also done in this laboratory.

JANITOR and night watchman's rooms are also on this floor.

THE 2ND FLOOR, OR FIRST STORY

PRIVATE ROOMS and WARDS (2) for men, are equipped with the latest Childless beds and all metal furniture for SANITARY perfection.

DRINKING FOUNTAINS of the Mott latest design, bath rooms (3) and large comfortable porch all add to the patients' comfort.

THE MAIN DINING ROOM on this floor 28x18x10. The most beautiful we dare say to be found in any Institution in the state. Cost more than two thousand dollars to finish.

THE SEPTIC OPERATING and EXAMINING ROOMS on this floor.

THE SECOND OR THIRD FLOOR—

THE MAIN OPERATING ROOM is on this floor, equipped with all the necessary instruments for SURGICAL practice and the STERILIZING room across from the operating room. Equipped with High Pressure and ELECTRICAL STERILIZER, also BED PAN STERILIZER, the very last word in STERILIZATION. (The Nurses make and sterilize all surgical dressings, solutions and suture material. Hence their purity is certain.)

PRIVATE ROOMS and ward for women are on this floor. ALL FURNISHED. On this floor in the south corridor is the private apartments of the Surgeon-in-Charge. This floor has three baths and large porch for patients' recreation.

THE FOURTH, OR THIRD STORY—

The patients floor in south part is the exclusive section of the Sanitarium. A private stairway and reception room on this floor. Rooms \$40 to \$50 per week in this section.

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FARM WAGES TO BE STANDARDIZED

Tazewell County Farm Bureau Fixes Scale of Wages for 1922.

PEKIN, Ill.—By The Associated Press.—Standardized wages for farm hands for the year 1922 are advocated by the Tazewell County Farm Bureau in response to repeated requests from both farm hands and their employers. The scale as prepared by the farm bureau is as follows:

"Married men should receive a monthly wage of from \$35 to \$40, the exact amount a matter to be determined by foodstuffs, privileges, house, etc., furnished by

the man by the employer. Consideration should also be given to the capacity of the man and the amount of responsibility placed upon him.

"When given or furnished accommodations, horse feeds, etc., single men should receive \$30 a month. When not furnished such accommodations the monthly wage should be \$35. Due regard should be given to the capabilities of the individual man as in the case of married men.

"The advisory council feels that this standard scale is fair. It recognizes that the cost of living has not been reduced as has the price of farm products and that farm employees can not at this time be asked to accept a wage scale as low as the price of farm products."

Many members of the council, it was said, have reported contracts in their townships on this scale.

DECATUR CHIEF IS GOOD THIEF CATCHER

Chicago—(By A. P.)—One of the best thief catchers in the state, is what the Illinois Bankers Association calls Chief of Police Hopkins of Decatur. It gave him this praise in reporting his capture of a man characterized by the association as "one of the most noted figures of the present time."

"By being wide-awake all the time, the banks of Streator realized this fellow was trying to put a kiting job over on them," says a bulletin of the association's protection department, "and they notified Chief of Police Hopkins, who immediately checked up on him before he could leave town."



If the hold-up man who stopped F. W. Humberg, West Roxbury, Mass., had known the nature of a police dog he probably would not have molested Humberg. "Stick 'em up!" he commanded as he poked a gun in Humberg's ribs. Betty, the dog, knocked down the bandit who leaped a fence and fled.

ILLINOIS OIL SHOWS DECREASE

Will Show Falling off of Nearly 1,000,000 — Gallons — Lawrence County Produces About Sixty Per Cent of Output

SPRINGFIELD—(By the A. P.)—Illinois' commercial oil production will fall below 10,000,000 barrels this year, as compared with 10,750,000 barrels valued at \$40,300,000 in 1920, reports F. W. DeWolf, chief of the state geological survey. The decline is attributed by Mr. DeWolf to the fall in the price of oil, which cut down inside drilling and caused abandonment of some Illinois wells. In 1920 the state had 19,000 oil wells, averaging a daily production of 29,500 barrels.

Reviewing Illinois oil produc-

ing territory and history, the geological survey chief says:

"The main Illinois oil field lies in Clark, Crawford, Lawrence and adjoining counties, and is included within a belt about sixty miles long, north and south, and ten miles wide, aggregating about 600 square miles. The other Illinois fields in Monroe, Clinton, McDonough, Marion and Macoupin counties, together, have an area of about forty square miles.

First Commercial Oil

"The first commercial oil production in Illinois was near Litchfield, Macoupin county, in 1832. In 1884 gas was discovered in commercial quantities near Pittsfield, Pike county, and also near Sparta, Randolph county, in 1888. The Clark county oil field was opened in 1904 and the Crawford and Lawrence county fields followed in 1906. Production began at Sandoval, Marion county, in 1909; at Carlinville, Macoupin county, in 1910; near Carlyle, Clinton county, in 1911; and at Allendale, Wabash county, in 1921.

"The Plymouth-Colmar pool, in McDonough county, was opened in 1914, and the Staunton gas pool, Macoupin county, in 1915. In 1920 the newest field, that near Waterloo, Monroe county, was discovered.

"Clark county reported the greatest production until 1907, but from 1907 to 1910, Crawford was the leader. From 1910 to date, Lawrence county has produced in excess of any other county in Illinois. At present, Lawrence county produces about sixty per cent of the state total, Crawford county about twenty-six per cent, Clark about twelve per cent, and the remaining counties about two per cent.

"The peak of production attained in 1908 was 35,000,000 barrels, but the subsequent decline has brought the 1920 yield to less than a third of that amount.

Depth of Oil Sands

"The sands from which oil is at present produced vary in depth from 350 feet to 2,400 feet. At the time most of the wells were completed, the average cost of each, equipped, varied from \$1,000 to \$6,000; today the cost varies from \$2,000 to \$14,000 per well."

Relative to the oil work of the state geological survey, Mr. DeWolf adds:

"Oil production is practically associated with anticline (or unfolded) structure in the rock formations, an association upon which the geological survey bases much of its work in oil investigations. In the course of the structure mapping, in numerous instances favorable to oil accumulation have been discovered and it has been and is the practice of the survey to make immediate publication of these discoveries for the benefit of those interested in oil prospecting.

"In addition to this phase of its oil work, the survey maintains a small staff for co-operation with the oil industry in investigating well trouble and questions that concern conservations. Thru its recommendations of favorable structure, the survey has been responsible for the opening of six pools, the value of oil from which runs into millions of dollars."

RED CROSS WILL ELECT DIRECTORS

The election of directors for the local Red Cross chapter occurs tomorrow afternoon, from 1:30 to 4 o'clock. All persons that have paid their 1922 Red Cross dues are entitled to vote. The voting will be done in the Red Cross headquarters in the public library.

It is the duty of every member of the Red Cross to turn out and cast his ballot.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leach of Denver, Colo., are here to visit Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Leach, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson and other relatives.

TRAFFIC REFORMERS WOULD ABOLISH HORSE

Paris—(By The A. P.)—The horse soon will be but a memory, so far as the principal thoroughfares of Paris are concerned if plans of "traffic reformers" are adopted in an effort to disentangle the traffic jams which are daily making the pedestrian's existence more uncertain.

These experts purpose to bar all horsedrawn vehicles from the chief traffic arteries during the daylight hours, leaving the horse only a few hours at night in which to jog along. The traffic authorities would go further and even abolish ordinary human beings who are forced to walk. They purpose putting them all underground on a moving sidewalk.

In any event those who take a gloomy view of the traffic situation, see one optimistic aspect of it. They say it can't get any worse. Accidents are almost hourly occurrences on the boulevards and a tieup is the inevitable result.

The red bands at crossings, constructed to give protection to the walkers, have proved a failure. Only a heavy rain reveals their presence and even then the drivers ignore them.

"Cruising" taxicabs add to the confusion and it is further suggested that this practice be prohibited. The increase in the buses has deprived taxicabs of much business and they are now forced to solicit business, a thing unnecessary since 1914.

PURITY CONGRESS TO OPEN IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Dec. 26.—By The Associated Press.—The International Purity Congress will open here tomorrow a three day meeting devoted to modern problems of morality.

State regulations of vice in its various forms, Roosevelt's preventive of vice consequences, moral problems in the smaller cities, and legal aspects of state regulations are subjects coming up tomorrow.

Maurice Gregory of London, England, Rev. Wilbur F. Crafts of Washington, D. C. superintendent of the International Reform Bureau, Howard Agnew Johnston, president of the Chicago Church Federation, Deaconess Lucy A. Hall, Woodstock, Ill., E. K. Mohr of Lansing, president of the Michigan Sunday School association, Dr. Katherine C. Bushnell, Oakland, Cal., Bishop Cyrus J. Kephart of Kansas City, and Bishop Fallows of Chicago are among the opening day's speakers.

ARMY OF 118,000 IN RHINELAND

COLOGNE—(By the A. P.)—The allied armies of occupation in the Rhineland which the German government has been endeavoring to have reduced are composed at the present time of approximately 118,000 officers and men. Some German newspapers have been contending that the armies of the four powers should be reduced more than one half, the money thus saved to the Berlin government to be applied to the reparations fund.

The armies of occupation are divided as follows: England, 4,000; United States, 5,600; Belgium, 18,000; France, 85,000; Great Britain's troops numbered about 8,000 until a few months ago when several detachments were sent to Upper Silesia where they have been on duty since.

CHERRY VALLEY, Ill.—(By the A. P.)—A large wolf was shot and killed by Charles Kling recently while he was hunting in Boone county.

Blitzen Returns



Blitzen, the champ rat catcher of the Hoboken piers, is back home again. Blitzen looked over South America but didn't think much of it. Dock workers grieved when Blitzen disappeared and were happy three months later when R. Schultz, officer of the S. S. Huron, walked ashore with the cat in his arms. Blitzen boarded the ship at Rio.

ANNUAL ELECTION AT BROOKLYN CHURCH

The annual election of Sunday school officers and teachers of Brooklyn M. E. church will be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the church, in connection with the regular prayer service.

FORMER MAYOR IS MURDERED

Herrin, Ill., Dec. 27.—Lee Thompson former mayor of Fordville a village near here was shot and killed last night while enroute home accompanied by his brother-in-law. A man demanded the pair hold up their hands and shot Thompson, according to the brother-in-law's story. Thompson formerly resided at Marissa.

MAN IS KILLED WITH BRICK

Harrisburg, Ill., Dec. 27.—C. B. Wilson, a farmer and coal miner, was killed here today when Frank Durant threw a brick at him, crushing his skull, after Wilson and Durant had quarreled because the former wanted to stop two boys from fighting. Durant was arrested.

QUARREL ENDS IN KILLING

Eldorado, Ill., Dec. 27.—James Patterson, 40 years old was shot and almost instantly killed here today by Thomas Cameron, after the men, according to the police, had quarreled over the relative merits of British and American citizens. Cameron was arrested.

LAND OWNERS WILL HOLD CONFERENCE

A conference of Morgan county land owners and the one of renters will be held soon under the Morgan County Farm Bureau. The bureau proposes to conduct helpful conferences on the situations which have arisen for both landlord and tenant.

Mrs. Nerganah was up from Chapin Tuesday to shop with Jacksonville merchants.

Henry Naylor of Arenzville was a visitor to Jacksonville yesterday.

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Nash '692' 5 Pass. Touring \$1640

Nash '697' 4 Pass. Sport Model \$1650

Nash '696' Roadster \$1465

Nash '695' 4 Passenger Coupe \$2230

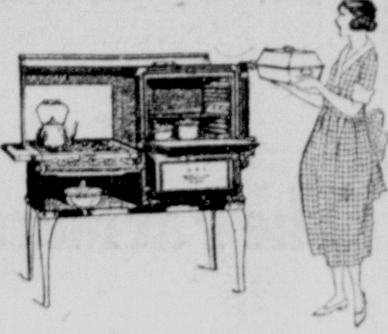
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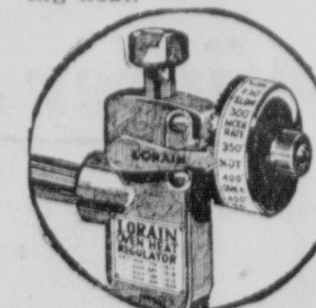
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MASONIC OFFICERS INSTALLED MONDAY

Many Masons Present for Impressive Ceremony—Julius G. Strawn Was Installing Officer.

A joint installation of the officers of Jacksonville Lodge No. 576 and Harmony Lodge was held last night at Masonic Temple. There was a large attendance and the ceremony was impressive. Julius G. Strawn was the installing officer.

The following are the new officers:

Harmony Lodge, No. 3.
Master—John W. Huggett.
S. W.—Jean P. Curtis.
J. W.—J. A. Palmer.
Treasurer—H. M. Rowland.
Secretary—John R. Phillips.
Chaplain—Julius G. Strawn.
S. D.—S. J. Carter.

J. D.—H. R. Gillisple.
S. S.—F. A. Robinson.
J. S.—F. E. Darr.
Marshal—C. F. Walter.
Jacksonville Lodge, No. 576.
Master—H. H. Chapman.
S. W.—J. R. Reynolds.
J. W.—H. A. Williamson.
Treasurer—W. G. Goebel.
Secretary—E. L. Kinney.
Chaplain—H. C. Goebel.
S. D.—C. E. Segner.
J. D.—Warfield Brown.
J. S.—W. L. Frank.
J. S.—R. R. Buckthorpe.
Marshal—F. J. Muehlhausen.

**ROCKFORD COAL MEN
REDUCE THEIR PRICES**
ROCKFORD, Ill.—(By the A. P.)—Local coal dealers have announced a twenty-five cent cut in the price of coal and coke, per ton. The reduction has been possible, it was announced, because of the decreased freight rates, recently put into effect.

D. A. R. MEMBERS HEAR INTERESTING TALK

Miss Olivia Dunlap Was Speaker at Regular Meeting of Rev. James Caldwell Chapter Tuesday Afternoon

A regular meeting of Rev. James Caldwell chapter, D. A. R. was held Tuesday afternoon at the Governor Duncan memorial. The speaker of the afternoon was Miss Olivia Dunlap, who discussed "Ellis Island and Our Immigration Laws." The attendance was large and the occasion was an unusually interesting one.

Miss Dunlap, who has been for fourteen years a worker among the immigrants at Ellis Island, told many a touching incident and her hearers were given a clearer idea than they had before of what really takes place at the gateway to this country. The speaker referred to the hardships which the immigrants meet because of the laws limiting the number which shall be admitted each month, and because of the illiteracy laws. Miss Dunlap told of the many children separated from their parents because of these laws and of the pitiful plight of some of the brides who come to join their husbands in this land of promise.

The speaker told of the observance of Christmas on the island and of the brave effort which the incoming foreigners make to adjust themselves to strange conditions. Altogether it was a most graphic recital of conditions which prevail among these would be citizens of the United States and the chapter members were very grateful to Miss Dunlap for her interesting story.

At the close of the regular program there was community singing. "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" were sung under the leadership of Mrs. William Barr Brown.

A social hour came after the program and at this time refreshments were served. Mrs. Katherine D. Hamilton was chairman of the hostesses of the afternoon and assisting her were Mrs. Alice B. Hopper, Mrs. Frances Hicks, Mrs. Bertha R. Hubble, Mrs. Ellen Jenkinson, Mrs. Caroline Johnson, Mrs. Helen R. Jordan, Mrs. Claudia Hubbs, Mrs. Laura Hopper, Mrs. Belle S. Lambert, Mrs. Eliza Luttrell, Mrs. Clara A. Lipincott, Mrs. Lucinda B. Massie, Mrs. Rebecca McCoy, Mrs. Isabel Mather, Mrs. Susan Johnson, Misses Mary Johnston, Edith Jordan, Helen Massie and Anne Hinrichsen.

George Woods of Pisgah made a trip to the city Tuesday to attend to business.

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CHILD DIED WITHOUT MEDICAL ATTENTION

Coroner's Inquest Held Over the Infant Child of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilson.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilson of 322 Reid street died Tuesday morning without medical attention. The case was reported to Coroner Rose and an inquest was held at the home last evening. The verdict was returned that Estella Wilson, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilson, came to her death by convulsions the cause of which the jury was unable to determine.

The jurors were F. W. Brockhouse, C. E. Nelson, Walter Wood, Eugene H. Keefe, Wallace Gibbs and E. R. Eyre.

At the inquest Mrs. Wilson testified that the baby had a heavy cold and that she had been giving home remedies. The child seemed much better about 7 o'clock Tuesday morning and at 9 o'clock gave every appearance of sleeping normally. The mother went to a neighbors' for a few moments and when she returned found the child dead.

Clifford Wilson, the father, testified to the same general facts and a statement was read from County Physician Dr. C. H. Wolfman. He gave it as his opinion that the child died as a result of a convulsion and said that it would not be easy to determine the underlying cause. The body was removed from the residence to the Reynolds Mortuary.

FORMER RESIDENT TO BE BURIED HERE

The remains of Mrs. Julia Emmis who died in Abingdon, Sunday, will arrive in this city this afternoon over the Burlington and will be taken directly to Jacksonville cemetery where brief services will be held and interment made.

HOLIDAY VISITORS ARE CALLED HERE

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Brady have returned to their home in Effingham after a Christmas visit at the home of Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. B. G. Andrews on West Lafayette avenue. Mr. Brady is superintendent of the C. P. I. service, a position he has held for a number of years. It was the intention of the visitors to remain for several days, but a message received by Mr. Brady on Christmas day required his presence as soon as possible in Effingham, and he and Mrs. Brady started almost immediately by automobile on their return trip.

ELECTION RETURNS ARE CANVASSED

The canvass of votes of the last election was made at the office of County Clerk Riggs Tuesday, and showed the total of 214 votes cast in the county for B. L. Catron of Springfield, Republican candidate for nomination for member of the general assembly. The names of a number of well known Democrats were written in on the ballot, including the names of Henry T. Rainey and Paul P. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Paige of Bloomington are making a holiday visit with the mother of Mrs. Paige, Mrs. Alice Welch, 33 Day-enport street.

James Lashmet of the Graham Hardware Co. was at his place of business yesterday following a few days' illness.

VISCOUNT WAS BRAVE SOLDIER

COLOGNE.—(By the A. P.)—Numerous stories of the life and personality during the war of Viscount Lascelles, fiancée of her royal highness, Princess Mary, when the betrothal was announced, were told among the soldiers of the British army on the Rhine who had served under the recipient of two D. S. O. awards in the famous Grenadier Guards. Soon after the armistice Viscount Lascelles, who wore three wound stripes, led the second battalion of the guards into Cologne as a part of the army of occupation of the Rhineland.

A grenadier, who served formerly as the distinguished officer's "batman," or orderly, said that he was a typical guards officer and a real man in every sense of the word—a strict disciplinarian to whom polish and shines and cleanliness was a second religion.

His own kit was a model of what all kits should be, in the eyes of the "batman" and even in the front line trenches during an engagement, Viscount Lascelles would appear in speckless khaki with buttons brilliantly polished when the orders of the day permitted it. In the heaviest "strafe" Viscount Lascelles would be the most cheerful of his company.

"Often Lord Viscount would give up his blankets on a cold night so that a private in his company would not suffer," said the "batman." "He was always most considerate of his men and in many cases where most officers would have handed out seven days in the guardhouse he would let his soldiers off, for some trifling offense with only a slight reprimand and the request to be more careful next time."

"Viscount Lascelles was very fond of sharing his parcels from home with his men. Surprise gifts of cigars, chocolate, socks and shirts, and other useful articles were often distributed rather mysteriously in the rest billets and altho every one knew where they came from our commander never admitted that he was the fairy godfather of our battalion."

PRESBYTERIAN MINISTERS HELD CONFERENCE TUESDAY

A conference of Presbyterian ministers was held in this city yesterday to talk over various affairs relating to the churches of this presbytery. Among the visitors were Dr. C. E. Jenney, Decatur; Rev. J. W. McDonald, and Rev. Marion Humphreys, Springfield; Rev. A. E. Powell, and J. C. Colton, Woodson. The local Presbyterian ministers were of course in attendance. The conference was presided over by Mr. McDonald. A number of ministers and laymen from adjoining counties were expected but the condition of the roads prevented their presence.

CALLED TO CHICAGO BY DEATH OF BROTHER

James Keywood, golf instructor who has been in Jacksonville for a number of weeks, has been summoned to Chicago on account of the sudden death of his brother. No particulars were received and the news came as a shock to Mr. Keywood, as he had no knowledge that his brother was not in his usual health.

The Chicago man has been chief greens keeper for the Edgewater Beach club and has also served as semi-pro.

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SCHOOL OF RELIGION

HAD INDOOR PICNIC

A regular session of the School of Religion conducted by the three Methodist churches of the city was held in the social room at the Woman's college Tuesday evening. An indoor picnic was held, made all relating to the objects following the regular period of study and this feature proved a most pleasant social one. There Harker, who emphasized the value of the course of study which number of guests. The members of the school are pursuing themselves and their guests and a tempting luncheon was served.

were forty present, including a number of guests. The members of the school are pursuing themselves and their guests and a tempting luncheon was served.

A number of short talks were made, all relating to the objects and progress of the school. Among those who spoke was Dr. J. R. Daytona, Fla. The box was, no doubt, much appreciated.

RECEIVES FRUIT

Mrs. John Lukeman received a box of lovely fruit from her son, Carl and Mrs. George Lukeman, who are spending the winter at Daytona, Fla. The box was, no doubt, much appreciated.



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Representatives of U. S. Bureau Spending Two Days With Men at Jacksonville State Hospital Training Center.

The Illinois Clean Up Squad of the U. S. Veterans' Bureau is represented in Jacksonville by Mr. Anton Mussil, claims examiner, and Mr. George Buelow, secretary, for the purpose of making recommendations and advising the local co-operating agencies, the American Legion, the institution, and the training representative of the bureau here in Jacksonville what action may be taken to secure a speedy adjudication of the claim of inmates in the Jacksonville state hospital.

These men are here upon the special request and recommendation of Dr. E. L. Hill, managing officer of the institution.

Mr. Mussil and Mr. Buelow were busy all thru Tuesday until 9 o'clock last night. They will be on the job again today available for the work which brings them here at this time.

The squad was ably assisted by Miss Katherine G. Forward, executive secretary, the American Red Cross; Guy T. Ledgerwood, educational director, U. S. Veterans' Bureau Training Center; Mrs. Lena R. Williams, an instructor of the school; Miss Leah Walters, stenographer; who have produced everything in the way of records that may assist these men in obtaining preferred attention for the claimants of the government who are inmates here.

The first day netted considerable work on the part of those mentioned in organizing the work for the convenience of the squad and it is reported that the cases are being handled in the following order: Those that have filed claims and are not receiving compensation, those that have been disallowed, those that are receiving compensation but not in accordance with their percentage of disability, as well as those who are receiving proper compensation according to their status. It is the endeavor of these officials of the government to exercise every possible effort during the two days in Jacksonville to properly prepare sufficient data on these cases to present to the bureau for immediate action and disposition.

On Wednesday evening the squad members will leave for Elgin to attend to the case of over 253 ex-service men and women confined in the Elgin state hospital.

During the first of the year the squad with its medical officer, vocational training representative, compensation representative and secretary will commence at Centralia, Ill., and serve those disabled soldiers, sailors and marines who are not confined in institutions in the various cities and vicinities to be visited as follows: Centralia, Mount Carmel, Olney, Robinson, Effingham, Mattoon, Decatur, Bloomington, Pontiac.

Those who have claims against the government, and are not inmates of the institution were interviewed by the squad about a month ago when it was in Springfield. The men were taken there by Miss Forward, the Red Cross executive secretary.

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CLUBS AND SOCIETY

Miss Lucile Harber Entertaining for Guest Miss Lucile Harber entertained a few friends last evening at her home on Webster avenue in honor of her guest, Miss Joy Carpenter of St. Louis.

Gave Turkey Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. George Oxley gave a turkey dinner Christmas. At noon and elaborate six-course dinner was served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Ebrey and son, Allen, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. McDevitt, and their children, Dorothy and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. David Rawlings, Henry Rawlings, Mrs. Milford Pees and her daughter, Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Milford Pees and her daughter, Maxine. Presents were exchanged during the day.

Christmas Dinner at the Cox Home

Another of the many delightful Christmas dinners was given Sunday at the home of Mrs. Isabel Cox on Caldwell street. The presents given were many and beautiful and then came a bountiful dinner served at the noon hour and such as only Mrs. Cox and her corps of assistants know how to prepare. The decorations were of rare flowers, potted plants and wreaths of holly hung here and there, which gave the whole house a Christmas appearance. The guests were all members of the family and relatives. They included Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cully and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cox, Mr. and Mrs. John Butler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hill and son, Morris, of Chicago, Mr. Decker, of Chillicothe, Ill., Mrs. R. Kennedy of Doolin avenue and Mrs. Katie Watt of Litchberry. At a late hour the guests departed with many compliments for the social affair and wishing Mrs. Cox and family many happy returns of the day.

Miss Thompson Entertained Friends

Miss Della Thompson entertained a few of her friends at a 6 o'clock dinner Sunday evening at her home, 108 Spaulding Place. The guests were Miss Frances Sheehan, Etta Hennessey, Della Thompson, Mr. John Roach, Mr. Francis McGinnis and Mr. Russell Harmon of Litchfield.

Christmas Gathering at Beckman Home

Mrs. J. B. Beckman entertained six of her old-time friends Christmas day at her home on South Main street, a sumptuous dinner being one of the main features of the day. The gathering was unusual in that the combined ages of the six guests equaled 546 years. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wood, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hussey and Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Buchanan. The afternoon was spent in reminiscences and was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Family Gathering at Home of W. E. Hall

The W. E. Hall home on South Diamond street was the scene of a happy family gathering Monday afternoon. All of the Hall family in this immediate vicinity were present. Progressive games were enjoyed during the afternoon, after which a delicious buffet luncheon was served.

The guests included Harry L. Hall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hall and family, Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Griswold and family, and Julian W. Hall and family. Clarence Nordling of Rantoul was also a guest. Mr. Nordling is visiting here from Boston, Mass., where he is attending a theological seminary.

Miss Waddell and Miss Brown Gave Dance Tuesday Evening

Miss Frances Waddell and Miss Lynette May Brown entertained at a delightful dance at the Colonial Inn last evening. Twenty-five couples were invited, with music furnished by the Darley Brown Serenaders.

Among the out of town guests

were Miss Betsy Pasfield, George Pasfield and Robert Garvey of Springfield, and Miss Emma Doddard, who is a house guest of Miss Brown's.

Miss Irene Smith Hostess at Dance

Miss Irene Smith is entertaining this evening at a dance from 8 to 12 o'clock at the Illinois State School for the Deaf, in honor of Miss Parkhill of Benton, Ill. Miss Parkhill is the guest of Miss Smith this week.

Twenty-three couples will be present, to enjoy Miss Smith's hospitality.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rapp Entertained for Daughter

Miss Catherine Rapp was the special guest at an informal gathering last night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rapp, on South East street. She is visiting here a short time from Chicago and a number of her friends were invited in. Attractive refreshments were passed.

Gave Party For Miss Furr

Miss Helen Walton entertained a small company of friends Tuesday night at a dancing party given at her home, 839 West State street. The occasion was in honor of Miss Dorothy Furr of Carbonale, who is spending the week with Jacksonville friends.

Miss Miller Gives Dance for Miss Alcott

Miss Willella Miller was hostess for another charming event in honor of Miss Helen Alcott and Harlan Williamson, Monday evening. The members of the bridal party were invited to Miss Miller's home on Westminster street, and an evening of bridge followed. The Christmas colors of green and red were prettily carried out in the home decorations and flowers and in the delicious supper served during the evening.

Mrs. Hoffman Observed Birthday

The 76th birthday of Mrs. Elizabeth Hoffman of East State street was celebrated Tuesday noon with a reunion of her children. Those present from out of town were: John and Delmer Hoffman of Springfield, Fred Hoffman of Decatur and Louis Hoffman of Bloomington.

Family Dinner at Rawlings Home

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rawlings entertained members of their family at dinner Monday at their home on West State street. The dinner which was served at noon was a bountiful one and greatly enjoyed by all present. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Goltra, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rawlings and son, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rawlings, son and daughter. The only absent members of the family were Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Johnson and daughter of Kansas.

Family Gathering at Petefish Home

The annual Christmas dinner of Mrs. Hardin Clark was given this year at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ellis Petefish, at 835 North Main street Sunday. Despite the cold weather all the members of the family were present and all found the occasion a very enjoyable one. At noon a bountiful dinner was served and the afternoon hours were spent in a very pleasant social way. The Petefish home was prettily decorated, flowers and Christmas bells being used with good effect. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark, of Chapin; Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Clark, residing north of the city, Misses Edith and Beulah Petefish, and Messrs. Eugene Clark and Ivan Petefish.

LICENSED TO MARRY

James Allen, Roodhouse; Mrs. Mollie B. Turner, White Hall, William Cunningham, Jacksonville; Odie Majors, Jacksonville; Benjamin F. Suetkamp, Jacksonville; Katherine Lacey, Jacksonville.

Miles Fitzpatrick from the vicinity of Buckhorn was a visitor to the city yesterday.

MATRIMONIAL

Allen-Turner. James Allen of Roodhouse and Mrs. Molly B. Turner of White Hall were united in marriage at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the office of Justice of Peace W. T. Dyer who officiated. Mr. Allen, who is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Allen of Roodhouse is a farmer and their home will be on a farm southeast of Roodhouse.

Lavery-Kingsley

Harry Lavery and Miss Ruth G. Kingsley were married at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Church of Our Savior, with Rev. Father Edward Cahill officiating. The bridesmaid was Miss Anna Kingsley, sister of the bride and the groomsmen was Vincent Lavery brother of the groom. A wedding breakfast followed the ceremony, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Rose Kingsley, 239 Webster avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavery left Tuesday afternoon for New Orleans and other southern points. Upon their return they will live at 221 Cadwell street.

Both young people are well known residents of this city. Mrs. Lavery after finishing the parochial schools, attended Illinois Woman's College and the Illinois Conservatory of Music. She has been teaching at the school for the Deaf. Mr. Lavery is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lavery of Vandalia. He is a representative of the Walnut Creek Milling Co., at Great Bend, Kan.

SUPREME COURT RULES IN MEREDOSIA CASE

Finding is in Favor of Board of Education of Community High School District

The supreme court of Illinois has affirmed the judgment of the Morgan county circuit court in the Meredosia community high school district case. The title of the case on the docket is the people ex rel Frank J. Weber et al. appellants, vs. A. E. Ritscher et al. appellees.

The proceeding was filed for the purpose of showing that the Meredosia community high school district was not organized in accordance with the law. The effect of the decision of the supreme court is to sustain the action of the organization and to declare that the district as now constituted is valid.

Information was filed at the May term of the circuit court against the board of education of the district. Then the board entered a motion to set aside the leave to file the information and after argument had been presented Judge Norman Jones then presiding sustained this motion to set aside the leave.

It was alleged in the information filed that the boundaries of the district as organized do not comply with the law, which requires that the territory included in the community high school district shall be "compact and contiguous." After Judge Jones had sustained the motion made by attorneys on behalf of the board of education, the relators took an appeal to the supreme court.

In passing on the case Justice Carter delivered the opinion of the court, which sustains the view taken by Judge Jones. The higher court however did not pass upon the merit of the question, but stated in the opinion that "no bill of exceptions had been signed by the trial judge, that there was no question upon which they could pass other than upon the regularity of the proceeding."

The court in making this finding quoted from an earlier supreme court decision which says in part: "Motions of various kinds made during the progress of the cause and rulings by the court thereon must, in order to be reviewed, be preserved by a bill of exceptions."

It was stated that in this case the motion to set aside the order on which the information was allowed to be filed and to refuse to allow it to remain on file is practically a motion to dismiss the proceedings, and according to the decision cited and authorities referred to, such a motion would have to be preserved by a bill of exceptions, in order to be considered by a court of review. Justice Carter in the opinion further stated that the circuit court is a court of general jurisdiction and that in a court of that character its proceedings will be presumed to be regular and free from error until the error is shown from the record.

In this proceeding the relators were represented by Thompson & Thompson and the school board by Wilson & Butler.

FUNERALS

Zachary. Funeral services for Charles M. Zachary will be held at Union church, near Pisgah, at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, with Rev. Randle in charge.

The funeral procession will leave Williamson's undertaking parlors at 12:30 o'clock. Burial will be in Union cemetery.

R. S. WOOD IS INJURED IN FALL Richard S. Wood will be unable to walk for several weeks as a result of a fall on the ice, Monday. He is in Passavant hospital, with his knee ligaments torn on one leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Short of Ashland spent Monday visiting friends in Jacksonville.

AUTOMOTIVE MEN IN ANNUAL MEETING

Was Held at Dunlap Hotel Tuesday Evening—Officers for Ensuing Year Were Elected—Talk Over Coliseum Plans.

The Jacksonville Automotive Dealers association held its second annual meeting and election of officers Tuesday night at the Dunlap hotel, with practically its entire membership present. The meeting was preceded by a regular "Christmas spread" specially prepared for the occasion by Manager John Rule and served under his personal supervision. There were numerous surprise dishes on the menu and the meal was greatly enjoyed. The guests of the evening were: Clarence Buckingham and E. W. Brown, Jr., the latter joining the association.

Annual reports of the officers of the association, and of its standing and special committees were given. These reports summarized the activities and showed the association to be in good financial condition.

All members present signed up for the coming year and were enthusiastically on record for the continuance of the organization, satisfied with the work done and expressing the firm belief that the early spring months will show a strong revival of business in all lines.

New Officers.

The newly elected officers of the association are: President—J. G. Berger, Vice president—Charles M. Strawn.

Treasurer—William McNamara. Directors—W. J. Houston, Oran H. Cook and Ralph Withee. E. A. Olds was reappointed by President Berger to serve as secretary.

Preliminary plans for a spring auto show, merchants and manufacturers' exposition, were discussed and President Berger ordered that the old show committee, composed of Messrs. Strawn, Deppe, Withee and O'Donnell, be continued. It was the sense of the meeting that it is none too early to begin preparations so that the new show will be bigger and better than ever.

The recently appointed committees on new coliseum, composed of Messrs. Cassell, Cook and Houston, and Hard Roads composed of Messrs. Berger, Strawn and Luke were also continued.

Report On Coliseum.

Oran Cook, for the coliseum committee, reported progress made and presented elevation and floor plans for a building thought at this time to be suitable. These plans were sketched by architect J. K. C. Pierson, of this city. They call for a building 180x180 feet outside dimensions of brick and steel construction, a 30 foot wall and 30 foot center, with 120x120 foot center floor space free from posts. A gallery, movable stage, and necessary rooms are provided for. These plans show ample seating room capacity for more than 5,000 persons, and while subject to modification and changes plainly indicate that such a building is feasible and could soon be made self-supporting.

The committee also has under investigation several logical building sites, and has outlined probable costs of both a building and a site. It will soon take up the matter of financing the proposition and will then submit a complete report to the association for action.

Clarence Buckingham, architect, gave the members the benefit of his experience in such matters. He is soon to leave for California for the winter but stated he would be glad to keep in touch with the committee and send it any plans or suggestions he might obtain.

Hard Roads Report.

Mr. Strawn for the Hard Roads committee reported that Mr. Berger, Edward Leach and himself, recently made a trip over the proposed route from Jacksonville to Winchester, calling on many of the residents along the way, and arrangements have been made for a meeting Thursday with the state highway commissioner in Springfield to present several matters in connection with the route. It is believed now some misunderstandings have been cleared up, that a clearer presentation of what is wanted to the highway department will see fast work on this particular strip.

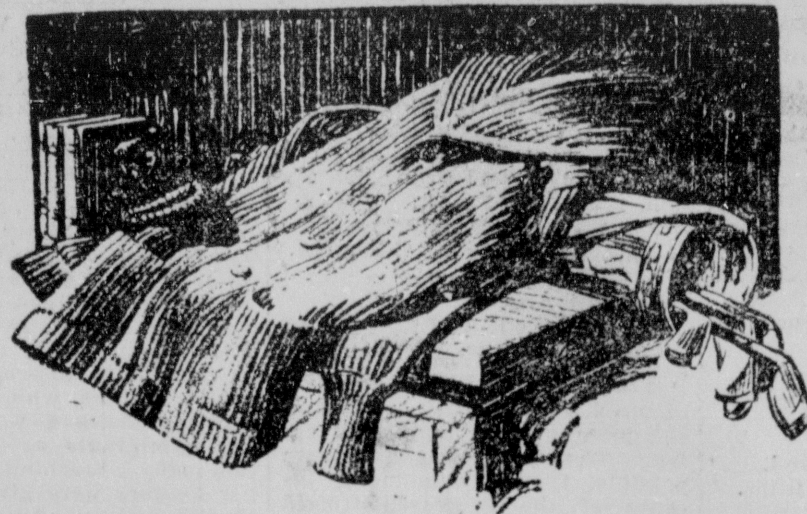
The association voted to continue holding its meetings at the Dunlap hotel. Manager Rule was called upon for a few remarks and voiced his appreciation of the favor shown, and expressed his pleasure in being able to have "the boys" with him.

At the close of the session Retiring President J. F. Claus, expressed his appreciation of the hearty support given him by the members during the year and asked that the same be accorded President Berger. He also called for a vote of thanks to the daily newspapers of the city for their never failing courtesy to the association and its members individually.

ATTENTION ELKS

Don't fail to attend regular meeting of B. P. O. E. 682, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. We expect large attendance and reports from chairmen various committees. P. D. Moriarty, E. R. E. P. Alexander, Secretary

TO VISIT IN SOUTH Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Osborne are to leave today for Mathiston, Miss. They will spend a number of days there with their daughter, Miss Edna Osborne, who is a member of the faculty of Bennett academy, an institution under the control of the Methodist church.



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T. M. Tomlinson, one of Jacksonville's most public spirited merchant, has received letters of commendation from leading manufacturers of lines of merchandise sold by him, on the unique and unusual advertising campaign he puts out.

The letters come from the sales and advertising departments of the manufacturers speaking highly of Mr. Tomlinson's ideas on publicity and the manner in which he utilizes his advertising space. Just now he is introducing a new window display. Large photographs of prize winning Berkshire hogs and the ribbons they have won at leading livestock shows are on display in his show windows. The Berkshires are the property of the well known firm of J. H. Nichols & Son of Arezville.

10. and 12. Trimmed Hats, only \$2.45 and \$3.95 at HERMAN'S Pre-Inventory Sale

SPENDING HOLIDAYS WITH HER PARENTS

Miss Mary Hopper, a student at Washington University in St. Louis, is another of the holiday visitors in this city and is spending the vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hopper on Prairie street.

THE BIRTH RECORD

Born Monday, December 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Cain, 1536 South Main street, Jacksonville, an 8 1/2 pound daughter. The young lady's name is Helen Mabel.

LINEMAN SUFFERS PAINFUL INJURY

Is Rendered Unconscious When Struck by Limb and Hangs in Tree for Some Time—Injuries Are Not Serious.

A serious and unusual accident happened Saturday to F. E. Conkright, a lineman in the employ of the Central Illinois Public Service company.

While engaged in sawing away a limb from a tree Mr. Conkright was hit by the dismembered limb and rendered unconscious. He fell backward in such a manner as to lodge in the fork of the tree where he hung for a period of half an hour where he was discovered by fellow workmen who with great difficulty rescued him. Upon examination it was found his back was injured supposedly from the position in which he was forced to remain so long. He was given medical aid and as soon as possible removed to his home in Meredosia.

WILL MEET THURSDAY

The Woman's club of Alexander will hold their regular meeting next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Carter Scott. Members are requested to be present.

William Hailgrove returned last night from Kansas City where he went to spend the holidays with his brother, E. E. Hailgrove.

Thomas Strickland of the north part of the county was in Jacksonville Tuesday to attend to business matters.

IS VISITING RELATIVES HERE

Mrs. Harold Oliver Reynolds of Philadelphia, Pa., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardin, 955 East State street. Mrs. Reynolds, before her marriage was Mrs. Eva Keene, of this city. She was married to Mr. Reynolds, the 25th of August, in the famous "Little Church Around the Corner," in New York City. Their home has been in Philadelphia, as Mr. Reynolds is associated with the Collier Publishing company there. The announcement of the marriage has never been made to her many friends in Jacksonville.

ELKS AND LADIES Eat your noon day lunch at the Home. It's the best in the city.

WILL RETURN TO U. S. JANUARY 1923

James Cumming, son of V. and Mrs. D. Cumming, of the Pitt House will leave on the destroyer, U. S. S. Ramsay, the 25th of January, for China, his mother heard today in a letter from him. He has just been transferred from the U. S. S. Frederick, his ship for two years. They will stay in the Orient for over a year and will return to America July 1st, 1923.

SPITZ PUPPIES ON DISPLAY

Furry & Sons, West Side Grocers, had an amusing display of Spitz puppies in their window yesterday. The puppies were not at all bashful and performed very amusingly to the entertainment of children and grownups alike.

It's our hope that the year 1921 has been a good one for you and yours, and that the year 1922 will bring increased health, happiness and prosperity.

We appreciate and thank you for remembering us with your patronage, and trust that you will continue to do so.

Sincerely yours,

COOVER DRUG CO. East Side Square

An Announcement

The attention of the public is invited to the fact that we carry a stock of jewelry, precious stones, silverware, novelties, etc., so large that an article of any price may be had.

Not only do we carry jewelry of the highest intrinsic value—some of the finest in the country—but at all times the widest variety of practical and beautiful jewelry, silverware and novelties are available for persons of very modest pocketbooks.

This store will sell you an alarm clock or a silver thimble and afford you the same satisfaction and complete protection that goes with the purchase of a matchless diamond ornament.

RUSSELL & THOMPSON

The Choicer Diamonds—Loose and Mounted

LaCox Havana Cigars

CAR SKIDS; WHEEL SMASHED

John Ryan of 703 South West street, was another of the victims of the slippery pavements yesterday, when his car skidded in taking a corner, smashing a wheel. The machine was towed to Berger's garage to undergo repairs.



Sweet Music

Vocal—Instrumental

You will find here all the newest, as well as standard selections, and everything for the teacher and pupil.

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Waiting for Cheaper Mattresses?

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We offer this week a full 50 pound cotton mattress in good art tick, roll edge and of standard make, \$10.75. These mattresses mean a clear saving of five dollars.

Only 12 to Sell at This Price

Reed Baby Carriage in good order.....\$10.00
Large "Sleepy Hollow" arm chair; a big comfortable rest chair, in genuine Spanish leather.....\$11.00
Golden oak rocker, imitation leather seat and back, refinished and reupholstered.....\$ 5.00
Stenographers' desk, large size professional desk; typewriter remains level when desk closes so that papers may be left loose. This desk would cost new more than twice this price.....\$20.00

The Arcade

SPECIAL SERVICES AT BLUFFS CHURCH

Several Unite With M. P. Church at Special Service Sunday Evening—Other Bluffs News.

Bluffs, Dec. 27.—Special services were held at the M. P. church Sunday evening and the following, Mrs. Ida M. Bennett, and daughter, Mrs. Joe Martin; Joe Martin and Mrs. W. E. Prewitt united with the church at the close of the service.

Rev. E. D. Palmer of Chicago arrived Tuesday to spend the week with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Palmer and brother, E. T. Palmer and wife at the M. E. church parsonage.

Russell Wolford of Okmulgee, Okla., who has been spending a few days with his father, Elmer Wolford returned to his duties with the Creek Motor Co., of that city.

Miss Helen Rockwood came down from Springfield Saturday to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rockwood who accompanied her to Springfield Tuesday for a visit

with their sons, H. G., and G. C. Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burrus spent Christmas with Mr. Burrus' parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Burrus.

Raymond Knoepfel and Benjamin Rockwood arrived Thursday from Jacksonville to spend the holidays with their parents.

Dick Brockhouse spent a portion of the Christmas holidays with his wife and daughter, little Margaret, who is taking treatment at a hospital in St. Louis, Mo., for relief from lameness caused by an attack of infantile paralysis a few years ago.

Mrs. J. L. Steward of Friday morning to remain until Monday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard of Winchester.

Ed Baird and wife of Quincy arrived home Friday for a two weeks' visit with relatives in Bluffs.

ATTRACTIVE TO ECONOMIC BUYERS

ANDRE & ANDRE After Christmas DISCOUNT SALES

Hundreds of items at radical reductions—20 to 50% Discount. Your opportunity to have your Christmas money do double duty.

PROGRAM GIVEN AT MAUVAISTERRE SCHOOL

Pupils of the Mauvaisterre school gave a Christmas program Friday evening under the direction of the teacher, M. W. Spainhower. The disagreeable weather interfered greatly with the attendance but the program was greatly enjoyed by all who were present. An oyster supper was served by the parents of the children and the proceeds, about \$25 will be used for the benefits of the school. The program follows:

Christmas Patriotic Drill — Six boys and six girls.

Recitation—Gifts Coral—Nelly Hicks.

Recitation—Merry Christmas—James McCurdy.

Recitation—Christmas Presents—Oran Hagan.

Dialogue—Christmas Crazy Class—Florence Hicks, Mary Burmeister, Dorothy Wallbaum.

Ralph Cook, Martha Cook, Edwin Wallbaum and Scott Wilson.

Recitation—Harry's Arithmetic—Everett McKinley.

Dialogue—Dr. Brown—Raymond Cook and Nelly Hicks.

Recitation—Mrs. Santa Claus—Grace Stash.

Dialogue—Mrs. Randy's Christmas—Martha Cook, Nelly Hicks, Joseph Wallbaum, Charles Burmeister, Dorothy Wallbaum, Mary Burmeister, Francis Hicks and Grace Standish.

Recitation—Christmas Morning—Russell Dyer.

Dialogue—Arkansas Traveler—Anthony Wallbaum, Edwin Wallbaum and Myles Standish.

Recitation—Dolly's Present—Mable Cook.

Recitation—Grandma's Mistake—Martha Cook.

Dialogue—Who's a Coward—Everett Wilson, Scott Wilson and Dorothy Wallbaum.

Recitation—The Heifer—Edwin Wallbaum.

Recitation—The Gambler's Wife—Florence Hicks.

Recitation—Auto Ode—Joe Wallbaum.

Dialogue—Mischievous Tiger—Aleene Standish, Florence Hicks, Errell Flynn, Scott Wilson, James Hicks, and Russell Spainhower.

BOOSTER MEETING WAS GIVEN LAST NIGHT

A booster meeting for the School of Religion of the three Methodist churches was held Tuesday evening at Illinois Woman's College. After a lunch, there was discussion of value to the school. The past work of the term is still to be taken up and a number of persons signed for the remainder of the course. Prof. W. J. Weber, a member of Woman's College faculty, is in charge of these study classes.

WILL ATTEND LEAGUE MEETING

Mayor E. E. Crabtree and several of the aldermen and a number of citizens will attend a meeting of the Illinois Municipal League, which will be held in Springfield some time in January. Mayors of 67 Illinois cities, the presidents of 25 village boards compose the league which is to improve city government. Eight principal projects will be discussed at the meeting.

SINCLAIR MAN IS PLEASANTLY SURPRISED

William Hopper of Sinclair, was given a pleasant surprise Monday night when a crowd of neighbors and friends unexpectedly called upon him. Mr. Hopper had just finished putting in a new floor in his blacksmith shop and the crowd suggested a dance. They accordingly repaired to the shop and collected the necessary music and proceeded to enjoy themselves. A pleasant time was reported by those present.

VISITS IN SPRINGFIELD DURING HOLIDAY WEEK

Edward J. Mahony clerk at the Pacific hotel, left yesterday for Springfield where he will remain until after New Years. Mr. Mahony will attend a series of dinner dances while the guest of Springfield friends.

CHRISTISON AUTO SUFFERS DAMAGE

Jake Christison of Winchester had the misfortune to damage his car Monday, while enroute to this city from his home. About half a mile west of the city on the Mound Road, the machine skidded on the slippery road, and shot into the ditch, damaging the front end of the car.

The machine was towed to Young's garage for repairs.

LITERBERRY ENJOYS HOLIDAY SEASON

Many Residents Trim Trees—Everyone Well Remembered—Invincible Class to Have Oyster Supper—Other Literberry Doings.

Literberry, Ill., Dec. 27.—The man's class of the Baptist church Sunday school, known as the the Invincibles will serve their annual oyster supper on New Years eve, in the basement of the Baptist church.

There will be an election of Sunday school officers of the Baptist church on next Sunday. The nominating committee for this important election is as follows: O. M. Petefish, S. H. Crum and J. A. Liter.

The Christmas festivities passed off successfully. There were several Christmas trees at the different homes and all the children were remembered. The Baptist Sunday school was very liberal in its giving to its friends. Mrs. J. A. Liter, teacher of the Golden Rule class, gave a nice present to each one of her class. Other teachers were just as lavish.

Bertha Grace Olroyd, who has been staying in Chicago with her aunt, Mrs. Burton, came home Friday for a two weeks' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Guy and daughter Elmer attended a family dinner on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James McFillen of Jacksonville.

There was a family dinner on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gish on Peoria boulevard, with children, grandchildren and great grandchildren present.

Mrs. John Daniels of Bonnie Doone cottage, who has been sick for one week with the gripe, is up and around. Miss Bessie Lowery is staying with Mrs. Daniels.

Mrs. Edith Scribner of east of Literberry called at Sunshine Cottage Sunday afternoon.

There was a family dinner at the home of Mrs. Nettie Scribner on Sunday. Those who took part were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lindsay and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roach and children and Miss Edith Scribner.

Wool dresses of serge and tricotine, worth up to \$25.00, only \$11.50, at

HERMAN'S Pre-Inventory Sale

NEARLY \$200 IS DROPPED IN KETTLES

Nearly two hundred dollars was dropped into the Salvation Army Christmas kettles on the square. The greater part was contributed in nickels and dimes. Part of the money has been used already for relief work in this city. Thirty baskets of food and clothing were given out by the Salvation Army here this year.

An entertainment and program by the Army Sunday school children will be given at 8 o'clock to night at their church on East College street and the public is cordially invited.

EDWARD BULLARD RETURNS TO CHICAGO

Edward Bullard of Chicago, who has been visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Helen Ayers Bullard on Duncan Place for several days, left last night for Chicago. Miss Virginia Bullard will return early next week to Chicago.

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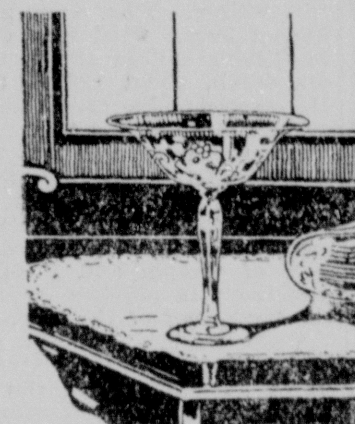
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GEO. W. FOX'S MEMORIES

(BY ENSLEY MOORE)
Member Illinois State Historical Society

George W. Fox, now of Indianapolis, Ind., wrote a while back to the "Old Jacksonville" man, some reminiscences of earlier days in Jacksonville. There were some points in the communication which might prove interesting to readers of the Journal, many of whom know Mr. Fox.

It is not amiss, in this connection to refer to the Fox family in its relation to Jacksonville thru many years.

The first of the name was also George W. Fox, who came here from Alton, this state, either in the late "forties," or in 1850. Mr. Fox took over what was then known as the "Mansion house," the chief hostility of this city at that time, and kept it for some years. Lincoln and Douglas were among his guests.

Mr. Fox was the father of Charles H., Edward Frank and Fred Fox, to the knowledge of this writer. They were all well known here. Fred was a junior in Illinois college at the time of his death, about 1861. Charles H. succeeded his father as keeper of the "Mansion house," and, when the war came on, became colonel of the One Hundred and First Regiment of Illinois Volunteers, the "Morgan county regiment."

Edward P. was a business man of Chapin and Frank was prominent in military matters at the beginning of the war.

The elder Mr. Fox had a Gothic house, on South Main street, to which he retired from the hotel, where he and his good wife dwelt some years. Mr. Strawbridge, and the J. W. Melton's had this house later on.

George W. Fox, Jr., was the son of Col. Charles H. Fox, as was Henry, and the colonel had a daughter, Sarah.

George W. Fox, Jr. is the sole survivor of the family. He last lived on South Main street, before going to Indianapolis. He and his wife were prominent members of the Baptist church. He was also a "hundred days' man" in 1864, in the 145th Illinois.

In His Recollections
Mr. Fox called attention to a house on South Main street,

which in early days occupied the site where E. P. Mount built later and James Woods lived. This "long two-story house" was at one time the home of Elder W. S. Russell, the Christian minister, brother of Sol. S. and Robert D. Russell.

Mr. Fox said he was "thinking if there was any one here who used to go to the school Mr. Spaulding had on South East street, below College avenue, and the boys used to spade up the garden, and get all the worms for the Spaulding children."

He also wondered if any one was left who remembered the race track up West State street, near the old cottonwood tree, from Bulkeley's west toward "the Deaf and Dumb." It was one of the pastimes of the early settlers on Saturday afternoons, with their scrub horses.

He also inquired if any of the old fire companies, before the war, was left. One was the Union. The other had a little engine called the "Water Witch."

The Fox's were living where the court house now is, when the First Presbyterian church, where the Journal office is, burned in December, 1861; and he took in the conflagration. He ran to the engine house on East Court street and helped get the "masheen" to the fire.

Mr. Fox said "There is a house on North East street, opposite the south end of the First ward school that used to stand where the Rawlings' clothing store was, now Deppe's, when I was there. Stephenson, the tinner, bought and moved it."

"I do not know if there are any leeches in the brook, but when I was a boy I used to get them and sell them to the doctors."

"Do you know if any one who heard Joab Milkinson make a speech in the old court house yard, is there?" (Yes, ma'm, the "Old Jacksonville" boy did.)

He learned his trade of tinner in the old Galbraith shop, and they made copper stills for the Pollock distillery, at Exter.

But lack of space must end this until next week.

FINE PROGRAMS GIVEN AT ASHLAND CHURCHES

Christmas Well Observed at Methodist and Christian Churches—Other Ashland News Notes.

Ashland, Ill., Dec. 27.—Christmas was well observed in Ashland Sunday. At 7:30 the scholars of the Methodist Sunday school gave an interesting program entitled, "Carrying Christ to Every Child. A large crowd was in attendance notwithstanding the inclement weather.

At the Christian church Sunday night the Bible school gave as a special feature "White Gifts" in honor of the King's birthday."

The gifts received will be sent to the Christian Orphan's home in St. Louis, unless it was marked with the name of some needy person.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ray entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dorsett and son, Mr. and Mrs. James Dorsett and son, and Mrs. Sam Ray.

Thomas Beggs and William Beadles, who are attending school at Bloomington, are spending the Christmas holidays with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCowan and family of Griggsville, are visiting relatives in Ashland.

Albert Wilson of Elizabeth, New Jersey is a guest at the Beggs home.

Mrs. Bruce Green of West Fremont street, spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Weaver, of Jacksonville.

J. I. Nix visited his daughter at Cass Siding the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Holmes, who reside on the corner of West Fremont and Illinois streets spent Christmas with their son in Springfield.

Mrs. Miles Kenday is very sick. Mrs. John Duffy, one of the aged residents of Ashland, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Kate Elin in Bloomington last Friday.

Funeral services were held on Monday morning at 9:30 at St. Augustine church in Ashland, with interment in Catholic cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nix of Virginia spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Nix on West Editor street.

Mrs. W. B. Dyer of West Fremont street, spent Christmas with her mother at Divernon.

The Ashland schools closed until January 3, 1922.

Miss Imogene Nix is visiting Miss Christine Furr of Eastern Illinois.

Mrs. Ida Sapp of Kingsville, Mo. is making an extended visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Elmore have gone to Emmett, Louisiana.

Miss Mae Spears of East St. Louis is spending the Christmas holidays with her sister, Miss M. E. Spears.

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W. S. Adams of Deleva had the city a visit yesterday,

LYNNVILLE GIRL IS DECEMBER BRIDE

Miss Gertrude Gordon and Thomas Dodsworth United in Marriage — Other Lynnville News.

Lynnville, Dec. 27.—Friends of Miss Gertrude Gordon of this city were very much surprised to learn of her marriage to Thomas Dodsworth which occurred Tuesday in Chicago.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Gordon and is one of the popular young women of the community. She is a member of the Christian church and has been active in various departments of church work.

Mr. and Mrs. Dodsworth have many friends in this community all of whom will unite in extending congratulations and good wishes.

They will be at home to their friends after February first, in Lynnville.

Miss Bertha Hundley arrived home Saturday from Peoria, for Christmas vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hundley.

Joe Barhart has been on the sick list.

J. E. Lazenby spent Christmas with his sister, Mrs. C. W. Burdick in Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heaton of Roodhouse, and Louise German of Peoria, are spending the holidays at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles German.

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yours truly
jack

Resolved, to let mince pie alone on Christmas eve

J.

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Mr. and Mrs. Van Hunter and
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Charles West of Rural Route 2
had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

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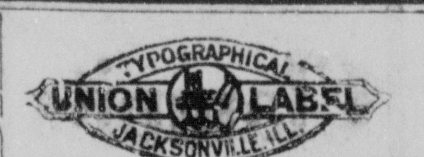
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FOR RENT—Houses always. The Johnston Agency. (Established in 1896.) 12-1-tf

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FOR SALE—Oak hedge posts. Bell phone 981-3. 8-30-4t

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FARM SALE—Farm sleds. Call at 214 W. Walnut, Jacksonville or Mr. Colton, Woodson. 12-7-lmo.

FOR SALE—Some extra good pure bred spotted Poland-China male hogs. O. R. Madison rural route 7, Jacksonville. 12-20-tf

FOR SALE—Airdale pup. F. Branstetter. Ill. phone 533 or 50-1346. 12-20-tf

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FOR SALE—5 lbs. Polarine cup grease, 60c. Doyle Bros. 11-30-tf

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Chicago Grain Futures

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Dec. 27.—Today's market range was as follows:
Opening. High. Low. Close.

WHEAT—

May . . . 1.17½ 1.18 1.16½ 1.16½
July . . . 1.05½ 1.06½ 1.04½ 1.04½

CORN—

May55½ .55½ .54½ .54½
July56½ .57½ .56½ .56½

OATS—

May39. .39½ .38½ .38½
July40. .40½ .39½ .39½

PORK—

Jan. 14.85
LARD—
Jan. . . . 8.77 8.80 8.77 8.77
May . . . 9.17 9.22 9.17 9.17

RIBS—
Jan. . . . 8.05 8.05 8.02 8.02
May . . . 8.25 8.25 8.22 8.22

FOR SALE—Split dry wood delivered. Bell phone 417. Elbert Profit. 12-23-6t

FOR SALE—35 choice S. C. Red Cockerels, 40 Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels. D. T. Heimlich, 693 So. East St. 12-24-4t

FOR SALE—127½ acres, all black prairie fairly well tilled, fairly well improved, 2 miles from Waverly, 3 miles from Franklin, 3 miles from McCarty's Station. A. L. Hamilton, general real estate dealer, 429½ E. Washington St., Springfield, Ill. 12-10-tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Rock cockerels. Alexander Bell phone 19-12. Carl Anderson, R. No. 6 City. 12-17-12t

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Call 231 S. West St. 12-24-4t

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MISCELLANEOUS
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MOVING, PACKING, HAULING, Shiping, Airmail work given prompt, careful attention. City Transfer Co., McBride and Green, 236 N. Main St., Bell Phone 490, Illinois 1690. 12-10-lmo

MONEY TO LEND—We have \$400 and \$750 to lend on Jacksonville property. The Johnston Agency. 12-26-tf

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WILL EXCHANGE 202 acre farm for stock of merchandise or city property. A. L. Kilby, Curryville, Missouri, Pike county, R. 1. 12-22-tf

MONEY TO LEND ALWAYS—The Johnston Agency. (Established in 1896.) 12-1-tf

FOR SALEONE Duroc registered male hog. Herbert Mawson. Bell phone 905-11. 12-24-4t

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Cockerels. 513 Edgmont street. 12-24-4t

FOR SALE—Some good farm land in Morgan county; will price to sell. Inquire J. C. Bobbitt, Route 1, Chapin. 12-25-6t.

FOR SALE—Land, horses, wagon, harness and second hand store business. A. H. Coffman, 636 N. Main st. 12-27-6t

LOST and FOUND
LOST—Fur robe between Church street and Webster avenue. Call Ill. phone 60-977. 12-22-3t

LOST—In west end, canvass and leather cover from back of delivery truck. Return to Journal office. 12-23-tf

STRAYED OR STOLEN—White female with tan head, black spot on side and roof of tail; tail has been broken and a little crooked; small collar on and Morgan county license number. \$10 reward for dog. \$25 for information leading to arrest and conviction of party or parties. G. C. Wackerell, Alexander, Ill. 12-28-3t

LOST—Pair of nose glasses in case last Friday night, Dec. 16. Finder call Mrs. A. C. Bollee. 12-24-3t

LOST—Gold wrist watch, Swiss movement. Black ribbon band. Call Illinois phone 912. Reward. 12-10-tf

LOST—Army blanket on State street, Friday afternoon. Return to Journal. Reward. 12-27-3t

MONEY RATES WERE MODERATELY FIRM

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The tentative operations of bull pools in selected issues and occasional short coverings in shares of recognized value gave a semblance of strength to today's dull stock market. Incidents over the Christmas recess were of a mixed or confusing character. Assurances by St. Paul officials of that road's sound financial position and resumption of dividends on People's Gas after a lapse of four years were among the favorite developments.

Another increase of idle freight cars, lowered production of steel and iron in the Ohio district and impending price reductions by subsidizing of the General Motors companies reflected the less encouraging aspects of the industrial situation.

Trading in rails was perfunctory and the turnover in former favorites of the steel and affiliated groups was at lowest ebb of the holiday season.

Total sales amounted to 600,000 shares.

Money rates were moderately firm, easing from 5 to 5½ per cent at midday but reacting to the higher figures in the final hour.

There were few exceptions to the general strength of the bond market. Liberty and Victory issues closed at gains and most speculative rails improved.

Total sales (par value) aggregated \$16,275,000.

Chicago Livestock Market
By Associated Press.
Chicago, Dec. 27.—(U. S. Bureau of Markets.)—Cattle—Receipts 7,000; beef steers and heifer grade fat cows and heifers 25 to 60 higher; quality plain; lower grade she stock, bulls, stockers and feeders steady to stronger; top steers \$9; bulk \$6.25 to \$7.75; calves strong to 25c higher; bulk vealers \$8 to \$8.25; few choice \$8.50 and higher.

Hogs—Receipts 44,000; 20 to 30c higher than Saturday's average; spots show more gains; mostly to yard traders, shippers and a few small packers; top \$8 on 150 pound weight bulk 170 to 200 pound average \$7.70 to \$7.85; bulk 210 to 250 pound weights \$7.45 to \$7.65; pigs 20 to 30c higher; bulk desirable mostly \$8, few at \$8.25.

Sheep—Receipts 13,000; generally steady to 25c higher; fat lambs to packers early \$11.25 to \$11.40; sheep \$11.50; some head higher; good 90 pound yearlings \$10; good 104 pound ewes \$5.25; choice come back feeder lambs \$10.50.

St. Louis Cash Grain Market
By Associated Press.
St. Louis, Dec. 27.—Wheat—No. 3 red \$1.17 to \$1.20; No. 4 \$1.12.

Corn—No. 2 white 49½c; No. 4 48c.

Oats—No. 2 white 36c; No. 3, 35 to 35½c.

St. Louis Grain Futures
By Associated Press.
St. Louis, Dec. 27.—Futures—Wheat—Dec. \$1.12½, May \$1.14½. Corn—Dec. 49c; May 53½c. Oats—Dec. 35½c; May 40½c.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Andrew J. Patrick, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of Andrew J. Patrick, late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Morgan County at the Court House in Jacksonville, at the March term, on the first Monday next, at which all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 21st day of December, A. D. 1921.
The Farmers State Bank and Trust Company
Administrator

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination for sheriff on the Republican ticket, subject to the primary election to be held in April.

CHARLES S. BLACK.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of assessor and treasurer, subject to the decision of the primary election to be held in April.

J. D. McLAIN.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the will of the voters as shown in the April primary.

GRANT GRAFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of county clerk, subject to the will of the voters as expressed at the county primary.

George L. Riggs.

I hereby announce myself a didate for the Republican nomination for the office of county clerk subject to the will of the voters at the county primary.

LEE STICE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the primary election to be held in April.

GEORGE A. WHEELER.

CASH GRAIN REPORT

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Receipts and quotations today were as follows:

Wheat—No. 4 red, \$1.15½; No. 2 hard yellow, \$1.14½ to \$1.15½; No. 3 hard yellow, \$1.11½ to \$1.12½; No. 4 hard yellow, \$1.11.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 49½c; No. 3 mixed, 48½c; No. 4 mixed, 47½c; No. 5 mixed, 46½c; No. 6 mixed, 43½c; No. 1 yellow, 50½c; No. 2 yellow, 49½c; No. 3 yellow, 48½c; No. 4 yellow, 47½c; No. 5 yellow, 45½c; No. 6 yellow, 45c; No. 2 white, 49½c; No. 3 white, 48½c; No. 4 white, 47½c; No. 5 white, 46½c; No. 6 white, 44½c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 30½c; No. 3 white, 34½c; No. 4 white, 32c; No. 1 white old, 42c; No. 2 white old, 42c; No. 3 white old, 37c.

Rye—No. 2 rye, 89c.

New York Stock List
(Last Sale.)
By Associated Press.

New York, Dec. 27.—Closing quotations Tuesday were:

American Beet Sugar . . . 27½
American Can . . . 34
Amer. Car and Foundry . . . 145½
American Locomotive . . . 109
Amer. Smelt and Refg. . . 45½
Amer. Sumatra Tobacco . . . 33½
American T. and T. . . 111
Anaconda Copper . . . 30½
Atchafalpa . . . 92½
Baldwin Locomotive . . . 91½
Baltimore and Ohio . . . 34½
Bethlehem Steel "B" . . . 56½
Central Leather . . . 30½
Chesapeake and Ohio . . . 50½
Chicago, M.I., and St. Paul . . 18½
Coca-Cola . . . 66½
Coca-Cola Bottling . . . 66½
Coca-Cola Consolidated . . . 66½
Coca-Cola of America . . . 66½
Coca-Cola of Georgia . . . 66½
Coca-Cola of North Carolina . . 66½
Coca-Cola of South Carolina . . 66½
Coca-Cola of Virginia . . . 66½
Coca-Cola of West Virginia . . 66½
Coca-Cola of Kentucky . . . 66½
Coca-Cola of Tennessee . . . 66½
Coca-Cola of Mississippi . . . 66½
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Coca-Cola of North Carolina . . 66½
Coca-Cola of South Carolina . . 66½
Coca-Cola of Virginia . . . 66½
Coca-Cola of West Virginia . . 66½
Coca-Cola of Kentucky . . . 66½
Coca-Cola of Tennessee . . . 66½
Coca-Cola of Mississippi . . . 66½
Coca-Cola of Alabama . . . 66½

Liberty Bond Market
By Associated Press.
New York, Dec. 27.—Liberty bonds closed today: 3½s \$94.60; First 4s \$96.30; Second 4s \$96.22; First 4½s \$96.50; Second 4½s \$96.34; Third 4½s \$97.48; Fourth 4½s \$96.60; Victory 3½s \$100.06; Victory 4½s \$100.06.

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**TREMONT WOMAN
EXTENSIVE FARMER**

Mrs. Frank Harris Has Six Hundred Acre Stock Farm—Is Also Active for Better Homes.

TREMONT, Ill.—(By The Associated Press.)—Mistress of a six hundred acre livestock farm near Tremont, Mrs. Frank Harris is the leader of Illinois farm women in their activities toward a national federation for the development of better rural homes.

Mrs. Harris is qualified to speak advisedly of the farm home. She has made her home known over Tazewell county and has cooperated in the management of the farm with her husband and three sons.

As permanent chairman of the Tazewell County Home Bureau, the local women's organization cooperating with the county farm bureau, she was chosen by the Illinois Agricultural association to represent farm women of the state at the national convention of the American Farm Bureau Federation last month at Atlanta, Ga.

At Atlanta she was one of the leaders in the meeting of farm women representing 25 states at which the farmers' national organization was urged to install a regular department for country-wide women's work, with a secretary and a sufficient budget.

"I feel that no man can successfully farm without a well-kept home along practical and scientific lines," said Mrs. Harris. "Nor can any home be what it should be without its mistress having had definite training along these lines. The future of the Illinois farm home represents to a great extent the future of Illinois."

"Nor is our local work confined only to the farm women. Many homes in towns and villages are cooperating with us."

The membership in the various Illinois home bureaus calls for fees ranging from \$1 to \$5 a year. The extension department of state university works with the home bureau.

The national federation plans of the women's meeting at Atlanta call for closer cooperation between the county farm and home bureaus. In many states they are already merged into one organization.

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MONKS BREAK UP FESTIVAL RANGOON, India.—(By The A. P.)—In the course of a Buddhist festival on the slopes of the Shwe Dagon pagoda 200 monks were admitted to a theatrical performance free of charge, whereupon another 150 demanded the same privilege on the ground that the monks never paid. On being refused, because, so they were told, there was no room for them, the monks tore down the fencing and turned out the audience.

The police were summoned and temporary quiet was restored, but the dissatisfied monks and their sympathizers rapidly increased to a crowd of 3,000. The arrival of forty Gurkhas to keep order was the signal for a fresh outbreak and for three hours there were continuous free fights on the slopes of the pagoda. Eventually the rioters were dispersed, after one Burman had been killed and eleven injured. Two of the Gurkhas were also injured.

GUN TOTERS IN CARLO WILL PAY CARLO, Ill.—(By The A. P.)—Belief that a severe penalty will discourage "gun-toting" in Carlo, has led the city council to set a fine of \$50 for carrying concealed weapons.

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**"THE BEHAVIOR OF
CROWDS"**

A Psychological Study.
By Everett Dean Martin

Herewith is a review of Rev. Everett Martin's book, "The Behavior of Crowds," another of the volumes which has been added to the collection of books written by former members of Phi Alpha society of Illinois college. Mr. Martin is now associated with the Cooper Union Forum of the New York City. His work there and as lecturer and minister in a number of connections has attracted a great deal of favorable comment.

The review of the book was written by George Murray McConnell, now of Indianapolis and also the author of one of the volumes in the Phi Alpha collection.

It has been said that of the "making of books" there is no end, a saying whose meaning is today more widely illustrated and emphasized by the facts than when it was first said. If our age could have a trustworthy estimate of its worth on the number of books published, with only very mild conditions of worth imposed to exclude anyone from the estimate, our age would fairly lay claim to very high rank in civilization. If conditions of real worth were imposed there would follow a swift change in rank.

Books really "worth the making" are rare enough, perhaps, in any age, certainly they are so in our age, even if one were disposed to admit that large number among them classed as "doubtful." There is a long procession of these, most of which will soon drop below even the "doubtful" class. Mr. Martin's book is not in the "ruck" that falls below the doubtful, nor is it in any phase of the doubtful. It takes rank at once among those that are unquestionably "worth the making." It does not claim to be, or to be a help to, the formulation of a new system or plan of psychology, but it does touch upon and more or less elucidate facts and ideas which must be taken into consideration by those who in future seek to be teachers, or explorers, in psychology.

The author early expresses regret that he feels obliged to use the word "crowds" to express that tendency, or proclivity, in mankind to coagulate in smaller or greater groups, professing certain purposes or aims concerning these aims and subjects. The political party, a religious sect, the modern labor union, these are examples of what he means by "crowds." These groups espouse each its "cause," and so long as the members of any group see hope of adding to their numbers and attracting support they "stick together." They may be harmless or they may be mischievous in very high degree. The usual collection of men or women or both, which we mean by the word "crowd" is not the meaning of this author. A mob, a riotous assemblage, may be such a crowd as he means, or it may be a fugitive accident. It is the group which thinks alike—or thinks it does—and pursues the same aims, that constitutes his "crowd."

One aspect of the matter seems to have escaped the author's attention, or his comment at least, and that is how far this existing group tendency may be a manifestation of the tendency in mankind, (old as the race itself, so far as we know), toward organization, out of which, in very large degree, grows the state, the legally authorized corporation, and above all the co-operative movements of mankind. Perhaps the author did not consider this worthy of specific comment, and perhaps it is not, except that the fact that it has this wide relation should be considered in any effort to control the tendency, and this he does in finally bringing the whole matter to the intelligent development of the individual man, a fundamental condition of humanity which no man or combination of men can escape.

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BOND ISSUE FOR HIGH SCHOOL FLORA, Ill.—(By The A. P.)—A bond issue of \$48,000 for the erection of a high school has been voted by Harter and Stanford townships.

book of force, of earnestness, of originally constructive thinking, of virile and fearless expression. No profession of any kind saves its professor from the lash of his scorn if he thinks it deserved. It is a book to be admired and respected more, perhaps, for what it means than for its style and manner, for this sometimes lapses into the too familiar colloquial.

The derivation of the "crowd mind" from the selfish "unconscious" is quite new to me, but takes hold, to say the least. Certainly the author's discernment of the method in which the "crowd mind" is evoked in many cases in which it did not previously exist strikes me very forcibly and finds corroboration in one of my long past recollections in such degree that I cannot resist the impulse to outline it.

In 1853 and 54 I was a student (or thought I was) in the Dane Law School in Harvard University. One Anthony Burns, alleged to be a negro slave, was apprehended under the Fugitive Slave Law, and the case was being investigated before the U. S. commissioner in Boston, who at that time, was Edward G. Loring, one of the lecturers in the Dane school. This latter fact made more bitter the feeling among the students, feeling that more or less pervaded the whole body of the people, and bred in many an excitement so deep and intense that, tho it had not, up to this time, led to any serious violence, it was only overawed by appeal to military force. During the trial Burns was kept in the Boston Court house, a massive granite building, under a strong U. S. Marshal's guard. Toward the end of the trial a public meeting was called (I do not now recall by whom) for purposes of protest, in Faneuil Hall, to be addressed by Theodore Parker and Wendell Phillips. I had not been greatly interested in the trial but was interested to hear these celebrated men speak, the more perhaps because I had several times heard Theodore Parker preach in old Boston Music Hall, so I attended the meeting. The hall was packed with an orderly Boston audience which overflowed old Faneuil and filled the Quincy Market besides. The speeches of these two men were of great cogency and power, fervidly anti-slavery of course, but deliberate, logical argumentative, moderate and free from bluster or even a leaning toward or remote suggestion of violence. The audience was plainly, deeply moved, but one could not call it excited, or in any unusual degree demonstrative, many moved as if to go, some did go.

(To be continued.)

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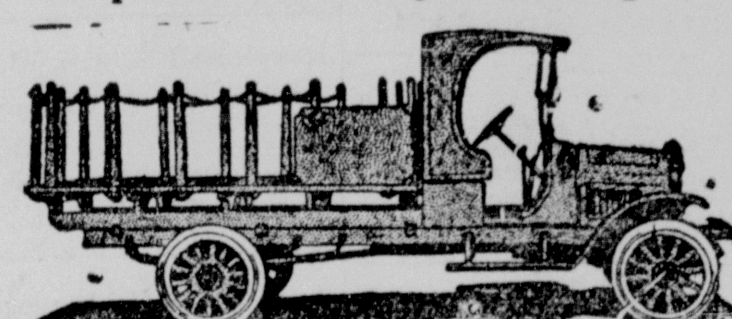
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